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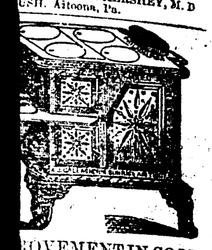

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LANDS! LANDS!! LANDS!!! The undersigned is prepared to locate LAND WARRANTS in the Omaha and Nebraska City Land Offices.—Good selections can now be made near the large streams and settlements. The Lands of this Territory, now in Market, are of the best quality.
☞ Selections carefully made. Letters of inquiry requested. ALEX. F. McKINNEY.
OREAPOLIS, Cass County, N. Ter.
July 14, 1859.-tf

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Collections of claims promptly attended to. Agent for the sale of Real Estate, Bounty Land Warrants, and all business pertaining to conveyancing and the law.

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Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria, Huntingdon and Indiana counties.
Particular attention given to the collection of Claims, and prompt remittances made.
He speaks the German language fluently.
☞ Office, for the present, with J. M. Cherry, Esq., opposite Kessler's Drug Store.
Altoona, August 4, 1859.—tf

NOW FOR FITS!—THE SUBscriber desires to inform the citizens of Altoona that he has just received his stock of
FALL AND WINTER CLOTHS,
Which he is prepared to make up to order on short notice and on as reasonable terms as any other Tailor in the place. JOHN O'DONNELL.
Altoona, Nov. 17th, 1859.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNdersigned has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.
Jan. 2, '59-tf. J. SHOEMAKER.

WM. S. BITTNER, SURGEON DENTIST.
OFFICE IN THE MASONIC TEMPLE. [Dec. 23, '58.-tf.
☞ A Student wanted.

DR. WM. R. FINLEY RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the people of Altoona and the adjoining country.
He may be found at the office heretofore occupied by Dr. G. D. Thomas.
Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.—tf

B. F. ROYER, M. D., Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.
The best of references can be given if required.
Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. April 23 '59-1y.

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MORE LIGHT! MORE LIGHT! Just arrived at the store of A. Roush, a splendid lot of a No. 1, Carbon Oil, which he will sell at 31 cts per quart, also a lot of Carbon Oil Lamps of Jones Patent which are warranted to be superior to any other kind.
Altoona, Nov. 24, '59-tf.

OYES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

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April 14th, '59-1y.

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Sept. 20, 1859.-6m

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This Company has paid losses from the date of its incorporation in 1854, up to May, 1859, to amount of $302,835.07, in addition to regular semi-annual Dividends of from 5 to 15 per cent., affording evidence of its stability and usefulness. *Losses Liberally Adjusted and Promptly Paid.*
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J. C. SIMMS, *Sec'y.* [Oct. 27th, 1859-1y.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co. D. T. CALDWELL, *Agent.*
Jan. 27, '59-tf

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.
Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.
March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

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J. G. ADLUM, NOTARY PUBLIC.
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THE HANIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY, having over 600,000 ACRES of LAND lying in the State of Missouri, which was granted, by Act of Congress, to aid in the construction of their Road, offer the principal portion thereof, for sale, on the most liberal terms.
The greater part of these lands are within six, and all within fifteen miles of the Railroad, which is now completed, and open for use throughout its entire length (206 miles,) and runs through a country which is unsurpassed by any in the salubrity of its climate, the fertility of its soil, and the extent of its mineral resources.
For further information, apply at the Land office of the Company, or address by letter, JOSIAH HUNT,
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Hannibal, Mo. Feb. 2. '60.-1y.*

BAKER'S FLOUR—A VERY SUperior article in Barrels and Sacks, for sale at the "MODEL." [Feb. 23, '59-3t.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT 1-tf. KESSLER'S.

Select Poetry.

Make your Home Beautiful.

Make your home beautiful—bring to it flowers,
Plant them around you to bud and to bloom;
Let them give life to your loneliest hours,
Let them bring light to enliven your gloom;
Make your own world—one that never has sorrowed—
Of music, and sunshine, and glad summer air,
A home world, whose forehead care never has furrowed
And whose cheek of bright beauty shall ever be fair.

Make your home beautiful—weave round its portal
Wreaths of the jasmine, and delicate sprays
Of red-fruited woodbine with joy immortal,
That blesses and brightens wherever it strays.
Gather the blossoms, too—one little flower,
Varied verbena, or sweet mignonette,
Still may bring bloom to your desolate bower—
Still may be something to love and to pet.

Make your home beautiful—gather the roses
That board up the sunshine with exquisite art;
Perchance they may pour, as your darkest day closes,
That soft summer sunshine down into your heart;
If you can do so—oh! make it an Edin
Of beauty and gladness—remember 'tis wise,
'Twill teach you to long for that home you are needing,
That heaven of beauty beyond the blue skies!

Make your home beautiful—sure 'tis a duty—
Call up your little ones, teach them to walk
Hand in hand with the wandering Angel of Beauty,
Encourage their spirits with nature to talk.
Gather them round you, and let them be learning
Lessons that drop from the delicate wings
Of the bird and the butterfly—ever returning
To Him who has made all these beautiful things.

Make home a hive, where all beautiful feelings
Cluster like bees and their honey-dew bring;
Make it a temple of holy revealings,
And love its bright Angel with "shadowing wing."
Then shall it be when afar on life's billows
Wherever your tempest-tossed children are flung,
They will long for the shade of the home "weeping willows,"
And sing the sweet songs which their mother had sung.

THE RAIN CONCERT.

Millions of tiny drops
Are falling all around;
They're dancing on the house-tops,
They're hiding in the ground.

They are fairy-like musicians,
With anything for keys,
Beating tune upon the windows,
Keeping time upon the trees.

A light and airy treble
They play upon the stream,
And the melody enchants us
Like the music of a dream.

A deeper bass is sounding
When they're dropping into caves;
With a tenor from the zephyrs,
And an alto from the waves.

Oh, 'tis a stream of music,
And Robin "don't intrude,"
If when the rain is weary,
He drops an interlude.

It seems as if the warbling
Of the birds in all the bowers,
Had been gathered into rain-drops
And was coming down in showers.

Select Miscellany.

Three Fighting Deacons.

The Cleveland *Plaindealer* is responsible for the following:

In a small neighborhood in Geauga county live three deacons. The first is a Methodist, the second a Presbyterian and the third a Baptist. All live quite a distance from their respective meeting houses, and as the traveling is excessively bad at this time of the year, they concluded to hold meetings in the little red schoolhouse in the neighborhood. The question then arose which denomination should hold the first meeting. The Methodist claimed the privilege of opening the ball. The Presbyterian demanded it. The Baptist insisted upon it. Here was a "fix."

They wrangled over the matter until the dander of each deacon arose to fever heat, and each vowed he would hold a meeting at the red schoolhouse the very next evening, which happened to be Friday last, and on that evening at early candle-light the school-house was crowded with Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists, and several world's people.

The Presbyterian commenced reading a catechism. The Baptist, at the same time, arose and commenced reading a tract on immersion. The Methodist, at the same time, struck up an old-fashioned hymn, shouting it forth at the top of his lungs. The effect was ludicrous. It apparently struck the mixed congregation so, for they all commenced laughing. The Baptist was wheezy. He sank exhausted into his seat, whilst the Presbyterian and Methodist continued. All at once the ludricousness of the scene struck the Baptist, and he indulged in a protracted horse-laugh. This displeased the Presbyterian, and forgetting himself, he dealt the Baptist a stunning blow under the right ear. The Methodist threw his hymn-book down and rushed to the Baptist's rescue. He arrived just in time to receive the Presbyterian's iron fist between his eyes. The Baptist and Methodist rallied, and together attacked the Presbyterian, but he was too much for them. The scene that ensued beggars description. Chairs were overturned, window-glasses were broken, women shrieked, men yelled. We have no wish to make fun of an affair which has caused profound regret among the religious people of Geauga. We merely relate facts; the matter is in litigation.

Remarkable Cases of Instinct.

The surprising faculties of vultures in discovering carrion, has been a subject of much speculation, as to whether it is dependent on their power of scent or sight. It is not, however, more mysterious than the unerring certainty and rapiuity with which some of the minor animals, and more especially insects, in warm climates, congregate around the offal on which they feed. Circumstanced as they are, they must be guided toward their object mainly, if not exclusively, by the sense of smell; but that which excites astonishment, is the small degree of odor which seems to suffice for the purpose; the subtlety and rapidity with which it traverses and impregnates the air; and the keen and quick perception with which it is taken up by the organs of those creatures. The instance of the scavenger beadle has been alluded to; the promptitude which they discern the existence of matter suited to their purposes, and the speed with which they hurry to it from all directions; often from distances as extraordinary, proportionately, as those traversed by the eye of the vulture In the instance of the dying elephant referred to above, life was barely extinct, when the flies, of which not one was visible but a moment before, arrived in clouds and blackened the body by their multitude; scarcely an instant was allowed to elapse from the commencement of decomposition; no odor of putrefaction could be discerned by us who stood close by; yet some peculiar smell of mortality, simultaneously with parting breath, must have summoned them to the feast.—Ants exhibit an instinct equally surprising. I have sometimes covered up a particle of refined sugar with paper in the centre of a polished table, and counted the number of minutes which would pass before it was fastened on by the small black ants of Ceylon, and a line formed to lower it safely to the floor. Here was a substance which to our apprehension at least, is altogether inodorous, and yet the quick sense of smell must have been the only conductor of the ants. It has been observed of those fishes which travel overland on the evaporation of the ponds in which they live, that they invariably march in the direction of the nearest water; and even when captured, and placed on the floor of a room, their efforts to escape are always towards the same point. Is the sense of smell sufficient to account for this display in them? or is it aided by special organs as in the case of the others? —*Tennent.*

Niagara Falls in Winter.

Have you ever, asks a correspondent of the New York *Commercial*, seen this mighty cataract and its surroundings when the Frost King held sway over them? If not you have never yet seen Niagara in its greatest beauty and marvelousness.—From above the great fall, down both sides of the river to below the ferry, every tree and shrub is encased in frozen spray—not ice, like frozen water simply, but a pure, solid, white mass, granular, like fine marble—the perpendicular cliffs columned with mighty icicles, which appear like vast supports to these eternal walls of stone. Flashing in the sunlight, the whole scene as you approach the river's bank dazzles sight and brings to mind all the glories of the fairy scenes whereof we read in that child's book of enchantment, the "Arabian Nights." Luna Island—Little Luna—from across the stream, looks, with her stunted cedars weighed down and covered with this frost work, like a heard of white elephants; but when you go over to it, and walk in under, as you can, you are really in a grotto of diamonds—the bright sun shining down and giving an appearance of splendor not elsewhere to be found. The eddies have clogged and cemented the cakes of ice that came down over the falls, and a bridge is formed for foot passengers, and seemingly strong enough to bear a horse. Of this, as there is nothing to pay for crossing and looking, (a wonder of the Niagara's wonder) numbers hourly take advantage. Standing on mid river and looking upward, the scene is imposingly grand and beautiful. With a pole I measured through the different fissures to ascertain the thickness of the ice, and found it was nearly fifteen feet.

Getting as near mid river as I could, I "spread myself," and stood on the water with one foot on Queen Victoria's dominions, the other on our own. The scene by moonlight and starlight is equally beautiful, standing on the ice, the flashing of the water and the brightness reflected from the ice enabled me to read easily the ordinary print of a newspaper. Believe me, Niagara in winter will repay a journey from the extremest point of our country, and it is surprising that so few take advantage of the facilities for reaching it, and witnessing the glorious burst of radiance which nature at this season there spreads out.

☞ A gentleman standing in his stable lot in Petersburg, Va., with a pitch-fork in his hand, caught a chicken hawk on the prongs of the fork as he dived at a flock of chickens.

Wanted—A Printer.

Wanted—a printer, says a cotemporary. Wanted a mechanical curiosity, with brains and fingers: a thing that will set so many ems a day; a machine that will think and act, but still a machine, a being who understands the most systematic and monotonous drudgery—yet one the ingenuity of man has never supplanted mechanically, that's a printer.

A printer; yet for all his dissipated and reckless habits, a worker—at all times and hours, by day and by night; setting up in close and unwholesome offices, while gay crowds are hurrying to the theaters; later still, when street revelers, are gone and the city sleeps; in the fresh air of the morning in the broad and gushing sunlight, some printing machine is at his case, with its eternal, unvarying click! click!

Click! click! the polished tubes fall into the stick; the mute integers of expression are marshaled into line, and march forth into immortal print. Click! and the latest intelligence becomes old, the thought a principal; the simple idea a simple sentiment. Click! click! from the grave to the gay, item—a robbery, a murder, a bit of scandal, a graceful and glowing thought are in turn clothed by the mute and impassive fingers of the machine, and set adrift in the sea of thought. He must not think of the future nor recall the past; he must not think of home of kindred of wife or of babe. His work is before him, and his thoughts are chained to his copy.

You know him by his works, who read the papers and are quick at typographical errors; whose eye may rest on this mute evidence of ceaseless toil; correspondents, editors, authors, who scorn the simple medium of your fame, think not that the printer is altogether a machine. Think not that he is indifferent to the gem of which he is but the setter. Think not a subtle ray may not penetrate the recesses of his hearth, or the flowers he gathers may not leave some of their fragrance in his toil worn fingers. But when you seek a friend, companion, adviser—when you would elevate one who from sympathy, may fitly represent, either or both—when you want Judges, Governors and Presidents, O, ye people, advertise—"Wanted—a printer."

A Lady's Thoughts on Kissing.

The editress of the *Weekly Herald*, (Thomson Georgia,) indulges herself in the following provoking and tantalizing strain: "Well, we reckon some folks would really like to know what we thought of. Let's see. In the first place, we thought what an absurd idea it is in a man to ask a lady to kiss him, just as if he, the senseless being, thought the poor, trembling little creature was going to do it. The idea of a man asking for a thing so easily obtained! Why, it is ridiculous! and a man with the least particle of brains would hoot at the idea. She'd say not, till doomsday. And you, poor believer, would forego the happiness of drawing nectar from the rose-bud mouth, simply because you were ignoramus enough to ask for what you might have taken.—There are ten thousand ways to kiss a girl without asking the pleasure. Direct her attention to something on the table; ask for a book you know to be there, and while she is there, go with the affected purpose of helping her to look for it; be particular to get at her left side—do you need any more telling? If you do, you do not deserve the kiss that might be so gracefully taken A man who would ask a kiss of a fair maiden ought to be tarred and feathered as a craven-hearted monster.—Don't do it, don't for goodness sake, ask the girls to kiss you. Kiss them if you want to, but do it like gentlemen. Kiss them if you can."

TRIADS.—There are three things which never become rusty—the money of the benevolent—the shoes of the butcher's horse, and a woman's tongue.

Three things not easily done—to allay thirst with fire—to dry wet with water—to please all with everything that is done.

Three things that are as good as their betters—dirty water to extinguish fire—a homely wife to a blind man—and a wooden sword to a coward.

Three warning from the grave—thou knowest what I was, thou seest what I am, remember what thou art to be.

Three things of short continuance—a lady's love—a chip fire, and a brook's flood.

Three things that ought never be absent from home—the cat, chimney and housewife.

Three things in a peacock—the garb of an angel, the walk of a thief, and the voice of a devil.

Three things it is unwise to boast of—the flavor of thy ale, the beauty of thy wife, and the contents of thy purse.

☞ "That's my *impression*," as the printer said to a pretty girl when he kissed her.

"And that's a *token* of my regard," replied the lady, boxing his ears.

Ladies the Best Company.

Thackeray says it is better for you to pass an evening once or twice in a lady's drawing-room, even though the conversation be slow, and you know the girl's song by heart, than in a club tavern, or pit of a theatre. All amusements of youth to which virtuous women are not admitted, rely on it, are deleterious to their nature. All men who avoid female society have dull perceptions and are stupid, or have gross tastes and revolt at what is pure. Your club swaggerers who are sucking the butts of billiard cues all night, call female society insipid. Poetry is insipid to yokel; beauty has no charms for a blind man; music does not charm the poor beast, who does not know one tune from another; and as a true epicure is hardly ever tired of water, sauce, brown bread and butter, I can sit for a whole night talking to a well regulated kindly woman, about her girl coming out, her boy at Eton, and like the evening's entertainment. One of the great benefits to be derived from a woman's society is, that he is bound to be respectful to them.—The habit is of great good to your moral men, depend upon it. Our education makes us the most eminently selfish men in the world. We fight for ourselves, we light our pipes and say we will not go out; we prefer ourselves, and our ease; and the greatest good that comes to a man from woman's society is, that he is to think of somebody to whom he has about to be constantly attentive and respectful.

SPROUTING SEED POTATOES.—The Rural New Yorker gives an account of some experiments with potatoes, showing that "from a whole potato, as a general rule, only from two to four of the stongest eyes grow, the others remaining dormant—the eyes obtaining the first start appearing to have exhausted the nutriment in the potato before those slower in growing had gotten ready to claim their share. The same potato cut in two, three, or even four pieces, would give about the same number of shoots to each set, though the smaller the sets the weaker were the shoots. To these rules there were some exceptions, for occasionally most of the eyes in a whole potato would commence growth about the same time, and a good many small shoots would be the result, while sometimes a very small set would give one or two strong shoots."

☞ "What a blessed thing it is," said Mrs. Jones to the widow Partington, one day during the late revival, "that so many poor souls are being called to be saved." "Dear me, yes," replied the widow, "I only wish that my dear late concert, Paul Partington, could have lived to see this blessed revisal. He was a most imiuent christian in his day and generation. Mrs. Jones, although I say it and have no doubt that he is now happy in Beelzibub's bosom." And as the old lady closed her eyes to get a glimpse of the spiritual vision, a loud scream of pain came from Isaac, who had got a hornet between his thumb and finger.

☞ Hold on to your tongue when you are angry, excited or imposed upon, or others angry about you.

Hold on to the truth, for it will serve well, and do you good throughout eternity.

Hold on to virtue—it is above all price for you in all times and places.

Hold on to your character, for it is and ever will be your best wealth.

Hold on to your tongue when you are ready to swear, lie, speak harsh or use any improper word.

Hold on to your hand when you are about to strike, pinch, scratch, steal or do any improper act.

☞ "Father, have you got another wife besides mother?" "No, my son, what possesses you to ask such a question?"—"Because I saw in the old family Bible that you married Anno Domini in 1842, and that ain't mother, for her name is Sally Smith."

☞ A boy being praised for his quickness of reply, a gentleman observed—"When children are so very keen, they generally become stupid as they advance in years." The lad immediately replied, "What a very keen boy you must have been."

☞ A schoolmaster asked a fair pupil—"Can you decline a kiss?"

She replied, dropping a perplexed courtesy, "Yes, sir, I can, but I hate to most plaguedly."

☞ He that thinks himself the happiest man really is so; but he that thinks himself the wisest is generally the greatest fool.

☞ To be a good thinker, you must be a little abstemious in eating. The writer who gorges his stomach gives thin gruel to his readers.

☞ Little drops of rain brighten the meadows, and little acts of kindness brighten the world.

The Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1860.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street, New York, and 10 State street, Boston, are the Agents for the *Altoona Tribune*, and the most influential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our *lowest rates*.

The Charleston Convention.

Since our last issue there have been very exciting times at Charleston. The work of the body has been the manufacture of a platform, which job was completed on Monday last. The Convention adopted the minority report of Mr. Samuels, of Iowa, re-affirming the Cincinnati Platform and the Dred Scott Decision, and endorsing several additional features of importance. The report was not adopted without a considerable display of angry discussion; but was finally carried almost unanimously. The platform as adopted is as follows:

First—Resolved, That we, the Democracy of the Union, in Convention assembled, hereby declare our affirmation of the resolutions unanimously adopted and declared as a platform of principles by the Democratic Convention in Cincinnati, in the year 1856, believing that Democratic principles are unchangeable in their nature when applied to the same subject matters, and we recommend, as the only further resolutions, the following:

Second—Inasmuch as differences of opinions exist in the Democratic party, as to the nature and extent of the powers of a Territorial Legislature, and as to the powers and duties of Congress under the Constitution of the United States over the institution of slavery within the Territories, therefore,

Resolved, That the Democratic party will abide by the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States over the institution of slavery within the Territories.

Third—Resolved, That it is the duty of the United States to afford ample and complete protection to all its citizens whether at home or abroad, and whether native or foreign born.

Fourth—Resolved, That one of the necessities of the age in a military, commercial, and postal point of view, is a speedy communication between the Atlantic and Pacific States, and the Democratic party pledge such constitutional government aid as will insure the construction of a railroad to the Pacific coast at the earliest practicable period.

Fifth—Resolved, That it the Democratic party is in favor of the acquisition of the island of Cuba on such terms as shall be favorable to ourselves and just to Spain.

Sixth—Resolved, That the enactments of the State Legislatures to defeat the faithful execution of the fugitive slave law are hostile in their character, subversive of the Constitution and revolutionary in their effect.

The Convention having refused to recognize, to the extent desired, the power of Congress over slave property in the Territories, some of the Southern States seceded from the Convention—first refusing to vote on the minority report adopted. These States are Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Florida, Alabama, and a portion of South Carolina. It is the intention of the Bolters to meet in Convention, adopt a platform to suit themselves and nominate suitable candidates. We also learn that Virginia, Georgia and Kentucky are discussing the question of withdrawal.

Since the withdrawal of a portion of the Southern delegates, a resolution has been adopted requiring 202 votes necessary to a choice. Twelve ballots were had—Douglas receiving 145 votes on the first ballot, and 150 on the last.

A Model Congressman.—An Arkansas candidate for Congress set forth his qualifications for office in the following manner: "Gentlemen, if I am elected to this office I will represent my constituents as the sea represents the earth, or as the night contracts with the day. I will unrivet human society, clean all the parts and screw it together again. I will correct all abuse, purge out all corruption, and go through the enemies of our party like a rat through a new cheese." He was elected.

Another Challenge.—On Wednesday week Hon. Robert J. Walker challenged Attorney General Black, at Washington City, through Gov. Brown, of Miss. Black declined verbally to accept. The cause of the challenge was the Attorney General's denial that Buchanan's letter to Walker, whilst he was Governor of Kansas, was authentic, which is impliedly saying that it is a forgery.

Excursion Tickets.—The Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago R. R. Co., will issue excursion tickets to the Republican National Convention, from Pittsburg to Chicago, for $14—tickets good from the 12th of May to the 1st of June inclusive. Excursion tickets will also be issued by the Pennsylvania R. R. Co., so that the whole trip can be made at a very moderate charge.

Municipal Election.—At the municipal election, in Philadelphia, on Tuesday last, Mayor Henry, the candidate of the Peoples' Party, was re-elected by a majority of about nine hundred.

The Great Fight.

The prize fight between John C. Heenan and Tom Sayers, took place on the 17th ult., in a meadow near Farnborough, in Hampshire, England. The fight lasted two hours and 6 minutes, during which forty-two rounds were fought, when there was such an intense pressure upon the combatants by the crowd that it was deemed necessary by the referee to stop the fight. Sayers right arm was disabled soon after the fight commenced, and Heenan was knocked nearly blind. The accounts are conflicting as to who would have come off conqueror, though it is strongly contended that Heenan was much the better man, and would have had an easy victory had not the crowd cut the ropes and rushed in upon the men. The decision of the referee makes the affair a drawn battle, with no day fixed for its resumption.—"Censor," a correspondent of *Wilkes' Spirit*, himself an English, and one of the editors of the *Field*, in an article on the fight, says:

"We are constrained to say, that the miserable interruption, which we are compelled to announce, runs not in accordance with the vaunted manliness attributed to prize-fighting and prize-fighters in general. The heroism displayed by the Benicia Boy, and his courageous bearing was frequently applauded during the fight. Little, therefore, did the small bands of Americans seated around that ring expect to see it broken up. That it was so will be found too true, and its motives plainly seen, when our narrative of the contest is perused. We have no hesitation in pronouncing John C. Heenan fairly entitled to the Champion's Belt. He knocked down his adversary thirteen times, and on one occasion threw him like a frog. At last, after a rally and a close, in which the combatants hugged each other on the ropes, and the odds were ten to one on Heenan, the crowd broke into the ring in a most ruffianly manner, under a false pretense that the constables were interfering. These very constables had been on the ground during half the battle, and were averse to making any attempt at getting in.—But the ruffians, seeing that their man would be beaten and their money lost, made the presence of the police an excuse, and thus stopped all further proceedings At this juncture the referee quitted his place, most unfortunately leaving all question of foul or fair without a deciding voice. Three rounds were fought after his departure, and at the end of the third the uproar was tremendous, the ringkeepers were unable to keep the mob back, and the victory, which would in a few minutes have been awarded to John C. Heenan, could not be obtained. The cowardly mob saw the laurels within his grasp, and tore them away from his reach. That he won the battle no unbiased person will doubt; that he deserves 'The Belt' we are positively certain."

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST MORRISSEY.

Morrissey, who has acted in the most reprehensible manner since his arrival in England, figured conspicuously at the fight as one of Sayers' most busy friends. It is now charged that he was the first man to break into the ring and cut the ropes—an account which, if the report be true, he will yet have to settle for.—The *Tribune* of Saturday thus alludes to the matter: "A gentleman now at the St. Nicholas, and who witnessed the fight, says that when Heenan had got Sayers into such a position that he must eventually have won the battle, John Morrissey cut the ropes and let Heenan fall to the ground." Other papers also allude to the rumor, and state that he did it to save his bets, of which he had a large number, staked on the English Champion.

HEENAN CHALLENGES MORRISSEY.

The *Clipper*, received to-day, states that after the fight was over Mr. McGabe went to John Morrissey and offered to match Heenan against him, to fight in three or four months, for $5,000 or $10,000 a side, but the latter took no notice of it. Another American, at the railway station, offered to double the stakes, should Heenan and Sayers fight again, or would match him against any man in the world for $10,000, but no one answered to it.

Effect of the Census of 1860.

The New York Times makes an elaborate and candid showing of the effect of the census of this year on the representation of the several States in Congress. It figures that the States which will lose representatives are: Alabama, 1; Connecticut, 1; Georgia, 1; Kentucky, 3; Massachusetts, 1; North Carolina, 1; New York, 3; Ohio, 1; Pennsylvania, 2; Tennessee, 1; Virginia, 2; Vermont, 1.

The States which will gain Representatives are: Illinois, 5; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 4; Michigan, 2; Missouri, 1; Texas, 3; Wisconsin, 2. The other States will stand as they are. The Times sums up the remarkable facts as follows:

1. All the old and large States of the Union, without exception, lose ground relatively, and most of them positively.

2. The South loses ground largely; the new State of Texas, having five fold the territory of the old States, and lying west of the Mississippi, is the only one that gains.

3. The only part of the Union which positively gains is the north-west—Missouri being properly included in that.

4. The Northwest positively gains 15 Representatives and 2 Senators in Minnesota.

5. The slave States lose 11 representatives and gain 4, being a positive loss of 7 The free States gain 14 and lose 10, being a positive gain of 4, with 4 Senators in Minnesota and Oregon. The admission of Kansas and Nebraska; which will speedily happen, will add 2 Representatives and 4 Senators to the same side.

The Freemason's Almanac for 1860.—Messrs. Morris & Monsarrat, publishers of Masonic Works, Louisville, Ky., have placed on our table a copy of this unique work, compiled by Rob Morris, in which we find condensed in 64 large pages, a complete statement of the origin, progress and present condition of Freemasonry in North America, as displayed in Lodges, Chapters, Councils, Encampments, and Consistories; together with tabular synopsis, chronological tables, literary announcements and a thesauros of Masonic precepts, maxims and historical items of incalculable value.

The price for a single copy is 15 cents or 10 copies for $1. We heartily recommend it, not only to Freemasons, but to all who are interested in the social history of our nation.

Model Clergymen.—The London *Times*, in its report of the great prize fight, says; "Authors, poets painters, soldiers, and even *clergymen*, were present." Other reports confirm this statement.—One of the sporting papers states that dukes, earls, and representatives of every class and profession, including the clergy, witnessed the fight. We have heard of fox hunting clergymen in England, and the English "turf" numbers some Church dignitaries among its patrons, but this is the first time that we have heard of clergymen patronising the prize ring. Hereafter, let our English cousins cease their prate about their superior civilization.

A Novelty in Fashion.—Among the novelties recently introduced in ladies' apparel is a new article of suspenders. They bear resemblance to those worn by gentlemen, except that they are made of delicate, white, elastic fabric, with frilled edge about one inch wide, and are attached to the skirt by buttons in like manner. We doubt not this invention will be generally adopted, with a view to relieve the waist of the unlimited burden which such habiliments necessarily produce. Reason and experience teach us that the old and absurd method, while followed, impairs the health and impedes locomotion.

☞ P. T. Barnum offers $100 for a live, speckled brook trout, uninjured, weighing four pounds, and at the rate of $25 per pound for all that it weighs over four pounds—the trout to be warranted to live one week in a running stream of water. A large price will also be paid for trout weighing three pounds each.

Drugged Liquors.—For the benefits of those who indulge the articles called whiskey, brandy and lager beer, we copy the following item from the Huntingdon *Union* of last week:—

"Dr. Cox, of Cincinnati, delivered a lecture in the Court House, on Wednesday evening, on the adulteration of liquors. He had on the table before him whiskey, brandy, &c., furnished by the citizens of the town, and he analyzed a quantity of each. The whiskey brought by Col. Miller, of the Jackson Hotel, was pronounced pure, but the brandy which the Dr. had, turned black as ink. It was drugged with several of the most virulent poisons. Some of the lager beer kept in our saloons, made at other places, was analyzed, and found to contain muriatic acid, henbane, and several other *desirable* ingredients. Many of the facts stated by Dr. Cox, were startling, and if we mistake not, he did material damage to the sale of "tangle-foot" in town. He is a chemist of great experience and reputation and his word, therefore, is authority

PEN AND SCISSORS

☞ The question—who is "Methil."

☞ The Hon. Edward Everett is now 66 years old.

☞ How to make people acknowledge the corn—tread on their toes.

☞ The Daily Union Prayer Meeting is still kept up in Huntingdon.

☞ The cost of keeping our Army and Navy amounts to $30,000,000 a year.

☞ Taken in—the chap who swallowed a glass of coal oil, thinking it whiskey.

☞ The Blair County Teachers' Association will meet in Hollidaysburg on next Monday.

☞ The estimated municipal expenses of the city of Boston for the current year, is $3,033,000.

☞ Prentice thinks it is a misfortune for a man to have a crooked nose, for he has to follow it.

☞ "Thermometer at 84 deg. and mosquitoes plenty," telegraphs one of the press-gang from Charleston.

☞ There are still snow banks eight feet deep on the mountains in Washington and Goshen, N. H.

☞ The Odd Fellow's hall at Pittsburg has been sold at sheriff's sale for $35,000, one-half its original cost.

☞ Gen. Cass, now in his 78th year, is said to have yet to taste the first drop of intoxicating liquors.

☞ A billiard table is to be placed in the South Carolina Lunatic Asylum at Columbia, for the use of the inmates.

☞ The Lynn (Mass.) *Reporter* shows that many diseases are prevented by wearing the beard and moustache.

☞ The various powers of Europe borrowed $352,000,000, all but $12,000,000 of which was to pay for wars.

☞ One-fifth of the entire sum raised by taxation for public schools in the United States, is paid by Pennsylvania.

☞ Some author tells us that "much has been said about the tongue." True, the thing is in everybody's mouth.

☞ 64,486 gallons of sorghum molasses was manufactured in Keokuk county, Iowa, last year, valued at $51,588 80.

☞ On Monday last there were three millions of dollars worth of sugar and molasses lying at the wharves of New York City.

☞ A County Convention of the friends of Sabbath Schools met in the Presbyterian Church, Hollidaysburg yesterday.

☞ A woman recently got a divorce from her husband, in Illinois, because he insisted (very like a horse) in sleeping with his shoes on.

☞ Hon. Thomas F. Marshall, of Kentucky, attempted to lecture at Rochester, N. Y., on Saturday night, but was so drunk that the audience left in disgust.

☞ A preacher lately said in his sermon: "Let women remember, while putting on their profuse and expansive attire, how narrow are the gates of Paradise."

☞ A young lady in this town is so refined in her language that she never uses the word "blackguard," but substitutes "African sentinel."

☞ No man will excell in his profession if he thinks himself above it; and commerce will not flourish in any country where commerce is not respected.

☞ Week before last 2,214 aliens arrived in New York, making a total for the year thus far of 11,140, against 8,248 to the same date last year.

☞ Pleasure, like quicksilver, is bright and shy. If we strive to grasp it, it still eludes us, and still glitters. We perhaps seize it at last, and find it rank poison.

☞ A public sale of land, 2,700,000 acres, will take place in Kansas, in August and September; and more than 4,330,000 acres in Nebraska, in the month of August.

☞ A club boat has just been built, which is so nicely balanced, that the rowers are obliged to be particular in parting their hair down the middle to keep it from upsetting.

☞ Lawrence Johnson, Esq., the well known type founder and sterotyper, died of paralysis on Thursday morning last, at his residence in Philadelphia. Mr. J. was about sixty years of age, and was very wealthy.

☞ The style of orchards they have in Portland, Oregon, may be inferred from the description of one which yielded in one season $30,000 worth of cherries, pears and plumbs and required forty thousand feet of lumber for fruit boxes.

☞ George W. Storm, the Cambria county artist, has just completed a portrait of Henry D. Foster, the Democratic candidate for Governor, which is said to be a masterpiece. It was painted for the Philadelphia Keystone Club, and is on exhibition in Philadelphia.

☞ A child in Wheeling, Virginia, lately bitten by a rabid dog, has since become an idiot, and assumes the tastes, actions and brutalities of a dog, snapping at everybody, and greatly distressing its parents.

☞ The Republicans are building a huge wigwam for the National Convention, on the corner of Lake and Market Streets, Chicago. This immense structure, one hundred and eighty by one hundred feet, will accommodate about ten thousand persons.

☞ The old Stuyvesant pear tree, at the corner of Thirteenth street and Third Avenue, in New York city, is in full bloom. This tree is one of the historical landmarks of New York. It was planted upon Gov. Stuyvesant's farm then a long ways out of the city, considerably over two hundred years ago.

☞ A family by the name of Story, consisting of twelve members, recently stole from a miller in the vicinity of Fayetteville, Brown county, Ohio, a barrel of flour which had been poisoned for the purpose of killing rats, and eating a portion of its contents the succeeding day, were poisoned so badly that three of the number died.

☞ On Tuesday week a prize fight took place near New York city between two noted characters, named Harry Gribben and Ed. Wilson. Sixty-one rounds were fought, lasting over an hour, and resulting in a drawn battle, neither being able to proceed. After the contest a number of fights occurred between the friends of the respective parties.

☞ People say that they *shell* peas when they *un*-shell them; that they *husk* corn when they *un*-husk it; that they *dust* the furniture when they *un*-dust it, or take the dust from it; that they *skin* a calf when they *un*-skin it; and that they *scale* fishes when they *un*-scale them. I have heard many men say they were going to *weed* their gardens, when I thought their gardens were weedy enough.

☞ An Irish woman, who was about to be delivered of a child, was admitted into Bellevue Hospital New York, a few evenings since. She was left without nurse or physician, and during the night was delivered of a child, which when the physician called the next morning, he found dead and partly eaten up by rats. The woman stated that she knew there were rats about her bed, but she was too sick and weak to drive them away. Shame on the authorities of that institution, to thus neglect a woman in her condition

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Wonderful, but True.

A few days since, Mr. Jas. H. Beadle, of Huntsville, Alabama, called on us and gave us permission to publish for the benefit of suffering humanity, the astonishing cure which had been effected in the case of his wife by the use of Dr. Hance's Vegetable Epileptic Pills. He informed us, that at the time his wife commenced using the medicine, her system was so entirely prostrated, by the number of spasms she had undergone, as to reduce her weight to 100 lbs. Since she has been taking the pills, she has entirely got over the spasms and has gained in weight and bodily health. She now weighs at least 200 lbs., and declares she is in better enjoyment of health than ever before in her life. Mr. Beadle also related the case of Mr. Harrison Lightfoot of the same town, who has been entirely cured of the worst form of Epilepsy by these same pills. Mr. Lightfoot's case was so bad that he never passed a week without having an attack, often falling down in the street. He has not had an attack for more than a year. Mr. Beadle thinks that if the pills ever fail in curing a case, it is for the want of a proper perseverance on the part of the person in taking them, as he feels assured from observation in the case of his wife, that if they are taken for a sufficient length of time, they will cure any case. Sent to any part of the country by mail, on the receipt of a remittance. Address Seth S. Hance, 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore Md. Price, one box, $3; two, $5; twelve, $24.

Have You a Diseased Liver.

The question, though startling, is sufficiently suggestive when the fact is taken into consideration that diseases of the Liver have become most alarmingly frequent in the United States. Indeed, there are few formidable diseases that are not in some way traceable to a deranged state of that important organ. Many of the complaints usually classed under the head of Consumption, have their origin in the Liver. Any remedy that would insure regularity and healthful action in the Liver, would be a blessing to mankind!" has been the exclamation of thousands. That remedy has been found; it is safe and sure. When a fair trial has been afforded it, it has never been known to fail.

Reader, have you any disease of the Liver, or disease which you believe proceeds from hepatic derangement?—Lose not a moment, but purchase a box of Dr. M'Lane's Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh, Pa., and they will restore you to health. It is the only remedy yet discovered, in which implicit confidence may be placed.

☞ Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS, manufactured by FLEMING BROS., of Pittsburgh, Pa. There are other Pills purporting to be Liver Pills, now before the public. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Liver Pills, also his celebrated Vermifuge, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine without the signature of* FLEMING BROS.

Mothers!

The attention of mothers is directed to Dr. Eaton's INFANTILE CORDIAL, which is highly recommended for all complaints attending Teething, such as Dysentery, Colic, Croup, &c.

BLOOD FOOD.—This medicine, being, as its name suggests, "Blood Food,' and a scientific discovery differing from all patent medicines, is well worthy the attention of all who are suffering from impurity or deficiency of blood. It is prepared by Dr. C. P. Bronson, author of several works on Elocution, Physiology, Science, &c., and is highly recommended by numerous certificates of those who have availed themselves of its virtues.

Church & Dupont, New York, are the General Agents for both.—*Lawrence, Mass., Sentinel.*

☞ See advertisement. For sale by A. Roush, Altoona.

The Mustang Liniment cures Rheumatism;
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The Mustang Liniment cures Sores, Ulcers, Caked Breasts and sore Nipples; Neuralgia, Corns and Warts, and is worth

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To the United States, as the preserver and restorer of valuable Horses and Cattle. It cures all Sprains, Galds, Wounds, Stiff Joints, &c. Did you ever hear of any ordinary Sore, Swelling, Sprain or Stiffness, either on man or beast, which the Mustang Liniment would not cure? Did you ever visit any respectable Druggist in any part of the world—in Europe, Asia or America—who did say "it was the greatest discovery of the age?" Sold everywhere.—Every family should have it; there sizes.

BARNES & PARK, Proprietors, New-York.

☞ One of the most prevalent, and at the same time troublesome and painful diseases that attend the human flesh, is the Fever and Ague. For a long time the medical world have been continually bringing forth numerous specifics for its permanent cure: but all without effect. Dr. J. Hostetter, an experienced and celebrated physician, has succeeded in furnishing the public with a valuable preparation for the cure of Fever and Ague. The steady and increasing demand lately made for the "Bitters," and the universal success attending its use, have made for it a reputation unsurpassed by any specific of the kind. For the cure of Fever and Ague, Dr. Hostetter's celebrated Stomach Bitters must and should claim a superiority over any other preparation extant.

Sold by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere.

☞ See advertisement in another column.

☞ "Of that the skin of an innocent sheep should be made into parchment, and written on to the undoing of a man!" quoth Shakspeare. He might also have deplored the ruining of men's forms by the uncouth manner in which some ungracious tailors butcher up the cloth made from the wool grown by these same harmless sheep. To see the perfection of the art of working up cloth wisely and well, and so as to set off to the best advantage the forms of its wearers, call at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St. above Sixth, Phila. and examine their stock of garments for gentlemen and youths.

TOOTHACHE.

This disease can be cured by *Dr. Keyser's Toothache Remedy*, prepared by him in Pittsburg, Pa., which is put up in bottles and sold at 25 cents each. It is an excellent medicine, when diluted, for spongy and tender gums, and is worth ten times its price to all who need it. Sold here by G. W. Kessler, Druggist.

Altoona, Jan. 12, 1860.—6m.

DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

AND

DR. HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

The great standard medicines of the present age, have acquired their great popularity only through years of trial. Unbounded satisfaction is rendered by them in all cases; and the people have pronounced them worthy.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Debility of the Nervous System, Diseases of the Kidneys,

and all diseases arising from a disordered liver or weakness of the stomach and digestive organs, are speedily and permanently cured by the GERMAN BITTERS.

The Balsamic Cordial *has acquired a reputation surpassing that of any similar preparation extant. It will cure,* WITHOUT FAIL, *the most severe and long-standing*

Cough, Cold, or Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Influenza, Croup, Pneumonia, Incipient Consumption,

and has performed the most astonishing cures ever known of

Confirmed Consumption.

A few doses will also at once check and cure the most severe Diarrhœa *proceeding from* Cold in the Bowels.

These medicines are prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson & Co., No. 418 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and are sold by druggists and dealers in medicines everywhere, at 75 cents per bottle. The signature of C. M. Jackson will be on the outside wrapper of each bottle.

In the Almanac published annually by the proprietors, called Everybody's Almanac, *you will find testimony and commendatory notices from all parts of the country. These Almanacs are given away by all our agents.*

☞ For sale, in Altoona, by A. Roush and G. W. Kessler, and by all Druggists. [may 10, '59-1y

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS.

The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities Painful Menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysterics, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arise from interruption of nature.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of those irregularities and obstructions which have consigned so many thousands of the young, the beautiful, and the beloved to a premature grave. No female can enjoy good health unless she is regular, and whenever an obstruction takes place the general health begins to decline.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

are the most effectual remedy ever known for all complaints peculiar to *Females*. To all classes they are invaluable, *inducing, with certainty, periodical regularity*. They are known to thousands, who have used them at different periods, throughout the country, having the sanction of some of the most *eminent Physicians in America*.

Explicit directions, stating when, and when they should not be used, with each box,—*the Price One Dollar each Box, containing 40 Pills.*

A valuable Pamphlet, to be had free, of the Agents.—Pills *sent by mail, promptly*, by enclosing price to the General Agent. Sold by Druggists generally,

E. B. HUTCHINGS, General Agent,
14 Broadway, New York.

Sold in Altoona by G. W. Kessler; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs. [Dec. 8, 1859-1y.

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TO EVERY FORM AND SPECIES OF

VERMIN!

"Costar's," Rat, Roach, &c., Exter'r.
"Costar's," Bed-Bug Exterminator.
"Costar's," Electric Insect Powder, &c.

DESTROYS INSTANTLY

Rats—Roaches—Mice—Moles—Ground Mice—Bed-Bugs—Ants—Moths—Mosquitoes—Fleas—Insects on Plants—Insects on Animals, &c., &c.—In short every form and species of VERMIN.

10 years established in New York City—used by the City Post Office—the City Prisons and Station Houses—the City Steamers, Ships, &c.—the City Hotels, "Astor," "St. Nicholas," &c.—and by more than 20,000 private families.

☞ Druggists and retailers everywhere sell them.

☞ Wholesale Agents in all the large Cities.

☞ Regular sizes, 25c., 50c., and $1 boxes, bottles, flasks.

☞ !! Beware !!! of spurious imitations. Examine each Box, Bottle and Flask, and take nothing but "Costar's."

☞ $1.00 boxes sent by mail.

☞ $3 and $5 boxes for Plantations, Hotels, &c, by express

☞ Address orders—or for "circular to Dealers" to

HENRY R. COSTAR,
Principal Depot, 410 Broadway, N. Y.

Sold by G. W. Kessler, Altoona.
March 29, 1860.-3m.

Iron City College

Cheapest! Best! Largest!!

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Pays for Tuition in Single and Double Entry Book-Keeping, Writing, Commercial Arithmetic and Lectures.

Board 8 Weeks $20, Stationery $7, Tuition $35, entire Expenses $62.

Usual time to complete a full course, from 6 to 10 weeks Every Student, upon graduating, is guaranteed to be competent to manage the Books of any Business and qualified to earn a salary of from

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Students enter at any time—No Vacation—Review at pleasure.

First Premiums for Best Business Writing for 1859 received at Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Ohio State Fairs. Also, at the principal Fairs of the Union for the past four years.

☞ Minister's Sons received at half price.

For full information, Circular, Specimens of Business and Ornamental Writing and Embellished View of the College, enclose five letter stamps to P. W. JENKINS.
Sept. 22, 1859.—1y Pittsburgh, Pa.

BLAIR COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—There will be a regular meeting of this Association held in Hollidaysburg, commencing at 10 A. M., on Monday, the 7th day of May next. The session is to continue for two days. Teachers are requested to be punctual at the appointed hour. *By Order of the Ex. Com.*
April 26, '60. J. R. FINLEY, *Prest.*

REMOVAL.—A. M. KING, SHOEMAKER, informs the public that he has taken the Room next door to the *Tribune* Office, on Virginia Street, where he is prepared to manufacture every style of WOMEN'S SHOES, at reasonable prices, and in a substantial manner. [Mar. 15, '60-tf.

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER—JOHN STEHLE has taken a portion of the room occupied by A. M. KING, next door to J. W. Rigg's Tin Shop, and announces himself ready to get up Men's Boots & Shoes in good style and at low rates. [Mar. 15, '60-tf.

FLOUR DELIVERED

WITHOUT CHARGE.
Jan. 26, 1860. C. JAGGARD.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

THE ONLY PREPARATION WORTHY OF

UNIVERSAL CONFIDENCE AND PATRONAGE.

For Statesmen, Judges, Clergymen, Ladies and Gentlemen, in all parts of the world testify to the efficacy of Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, and gentlemen of the Press are unanimous in its praise. A few testimonials only can be here given; see circular for more, and it will be impossible for you to doubt.

47 Wall Street, New York, Dec. 20th, 1858.

Gentlemen: Your note of the 15th inst., has been received saying that you heard that I had been benefited by the use of Wood's Hair Restorative, and requesting my certificate of the fact if I had no objection to give it.

I award it to you cheerfully, because I think it due. My age is about 50 years; the color of my hair is auburn, and inclined to curl. Some five or six years since it began to turn gray, and the scalp on the crown of my head to lose its sensibility and dandruff to form upon it. Each of these disagreebilities increased with time, and about four months since a fourth was added to them, by hair falling off the top of my head and threatning to make me bald.

In this unpleasant predicament, I was induced to try Wood's Hair Restorative, mainly to arrest the falling off of my hair, for I had really no expectation that gray hair could ever be restored to its original color except from dyes. I was, however, greatly surprised to find after the use of two bottles only, that not only was the falling off arrested, but the color was restored to the gray hairs and sensibility to the scalp, and dandruff ceased to form on my head, very much to the gratification of my wife; at whose solicitation I was induced to try it.

For this, among the many obligations I owe to her sex, I strongly recommend all husbands who value the admiration of their wives to profit by my example, and use it if growing gray or getting bald.

Very respectfully, BEN. A. LAVENDER.

To O. J. Wood & Co., 444 Broadway, New York.

My family are absent from the city, and I am no longer at No. 11 Carrol Place.

Slamaston, Ala., July 20th, 1859.

To Prof. O. J. Wood: Dear Sir: Your "Hair Restorative" has done my hair so much good since I commenced the use of it, that I wish to make known to the PUBLIC of its effects on the hair, which are great. A man or woman may be nearly deprived of hair, and by a resort to your "Hair Restorative," the hair will return more beautiful than ever; at least this is my experience. Believe it all! Yours truly, WM. H. KENNEDY.

P. S.—You can publish the above if you like. By publishing in our Southern papers you will get more patronage south. I see several of your certificates in the *Mobile Mercury*, a strong Southern paper. W. H. K.

WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.

Prof. O. J. Wood: Dear Sir: Having had the misfortune to lose the best portion of my hair, from the effects of the yellow fever, in New Orleans in 1851. I was induced to make a trial of your preparation, and found it to answer as the very thing needed. My hair is now thick and glossy, and no words can express my obligations to you in giving to the afflicted such a treasure.

FINLEY JOHNSON.

The Restorative is put up in bottles of three sizes, viz: large, medium, and small; the small holds ½ a pint and retails for one dollar per bottle; the medium holds at least twenty per cent. more in proportion than the small, retails for two dollars per bottle; the large holds a quart, 40 per cent. more in proportion, and retails for $3.

O. J. WOOD & CO., Proprietors, 444 Broadway, New York, and 114 Market Street St. Louis, Mo.

For sale by G. W. Kessler, Altoona, and by all good Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers.
March 1, '60—1y

CLOTHING STORE.

SPLENDID STOCK OF GOODS!!

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST received at their Store, on Main St., a large stock of *GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS*, to which they invite the attention of all persons in need of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

BOOTS & SHOES.

They flatter themselves they never had a better assortment than that now on hand, and that consequently they never were better prepared to meet the wants of their customers and friends. All their arrangements have been made with a view to a large and prosperous business.—Therefore we invite a call from one and all. Don't forget the place.

ETTINGER & ULLMAN'S

CLOTHING EMPORIUM.

If you would be suited, come quickly—but don't all come just at the same time. At all events come and have your wants supplied.

Our goods are all manufactured by ourselves in our own manufactory in the city, consequently we are enabled to sell at prices lower than those of any other establishment in the place.

Measures for any article of clothing, or for whole suits, taken at the store and the articles furnished on short notice. ETTINGER & ULLMAN.

April 5, 1860.

TO FARMERS & GARDENERS.—The subscribers offer for sale 60,000 Barrels of POUDRETTE, made by the Lodi Manufacturing Company, in lots to suit purchasers. This article is in the twentieth year of its introduction into this country, and has outlived fertilizers of every other description, for the following reasons.

1st. It is made from the night soil of the City of New York, by the L. M. Co., who have a capital of $100,000 invested in the business, which is at risk should they make a bad article.

2d. For Corn and Vegetables it is the cheapest, neatest and handiest manure in the world; it can be placed in direct contact with the seed, forces and ripens vegetation two weeks earlier, prevents the cut worm, *doubles the crop*, is *without disagreeable odor*. Three dollars worth or two barrels is all sufficient to manure an acre of corn in the hill.

Price.—1 bbl. $2—2 bbls. $3 50—5 bbls. $8, and over 6 bbls. $1 50 per barrel, delivered free of cartage, to vessels or railroad in New York City.

A pamphlet containing every information, and certificates from farmers all over the United States, will be sent free to any one applying for the same.

GRIFFING BROTHERS & CO.,
North River Agricultural Warehouse,
No. 60 Courtlandt Street, New York.
Or 136 South Delaware Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.
March 8, 1860.-2m.

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WE'VE GOT THEM!
150,000 ROLLS OF
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BEAUTIFUL GOLD PAPER FOR PARLORS.

Splendid Velvet and Gold.
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Thousands of rolls at *Elexpence*, and thousands 6, 8 and 10 cents.
Window Curtains, Fire-board prints, Testers, Ceilings, &c., for sale by W. P. MARSHALL,
At the Old Stand,
No. 87 *Wood Street, (near Fourth,)* Pittsburgh, Pa.

☞ *Look for the Striped Front.*
March 8, 1860.-2m.

New Book Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS LATELY opened a BOOK STORE next door to the corner of *Virginia and Annis streets*, where may be found

Old and Standard Authors, New Publications, Light Literature, Periodicals and Staple and Fancy Stationery in large varieties.

Also, a new and very select lot of SHEET MUSIC, MUSIC BOOKS and MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. The citizens of Altoona are respectfully invited to call.

☞ All orders attended to with promptness and dispatch.
Altoona, Nov. 3, 1859-tf H. SMITH.

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.—MESSRS. KEYS & WALSH respectfully announce to the public that they are prepared to do all kinds of

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING,

in a workmanlike manner and at low prices. They also keep constantly on hand and for sale, at lowest prices,

OIL, GLASS, PUTTY & PAINTERS' TOOLS;

ALSO, LOOKING GLASSES, STAINED & ENGRAVED WINDOW GLASS, LOOKING GLASS & PICTURE FRAMES, GILT AND ROSEWOOD MOULDINGS,

CARVED & ORNAMENTAL GILT FRAMES.

☞ All Orders left at A. Roush's Drug Store, Altoona, will receive prompt attention.

Shop on Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.
April 5, 1860.-tf.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two-Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, & a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859—tf.

A FULL STOCK OF

Groceries,
Hardware,
Queensware,
Oils,
Paints,
Etc., etc.,

Constantly for sale by C. JAGGARD.

Jan. 26, 1860.

THE VERY BEST ARTICLE OF FLOUR, from the celebrated Lewistown mills, kept at the new Flour and Feed Store. Call and get a sample of it. Price as low as the lowest. [Feb. 23, '60.-tf.

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Feb. 22, '60.-tf.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.
MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at 7 00 A.M.
Western " and Hollidaysburg, 7 00 A.M.
Western Through and Hollidaysburg, 6 15 P.M.
Eastern Through Mail 8 00 "

MAILS OPEN.

Hollidaysburg 7 10 A.M.
Western Through 7 15 "
Eastern Through Mail, 7 30 "
Hollidaysburg, 6 35 P.M.
Western Way, 8 20 P.M.
Eastern " 8 40 P.M.

Office open for the transaction of business from 6.30 A.M. p to 9 P.M. during the week, and from 7.30 to 8.30 o' clock on Sunday.
June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East arrives 8.20 P.M., leaves 8.35 P.M.
" " West " 7.30 A.M. " 7.50 A.M.
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" " West " 6.40 P.M. " 6.55 P.M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, and Mail Train East and West.
INDIANA BRANCH TRAINS connect with Johnstown Accommodation Train East and West, Johnstown Way Train Eastward and Express Train Westward.
April 12, 1860. ENOCH LEWIS, *Gen'l Supt.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

THE VALUE OF THE TRIBUNE.—A short time since, we received an order for the *Tribune*, from an inhabitant of the benighted regions of Illinois, known as Egypt. The order was done up in poetic style, and our readers will agree with us that it does not do violent damage to the name of the place, but rather proves the fitness of the *sobriquet*. The order commences as follows:—

> That paper I must have again,
> Said I to father, "Go and write,
> If I don't have the *Tribune*,
> I cannot sleep at night."

Yes, yes, young man, you shall have the *Tribune*, since it is indispensably necessary to the production of "Nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep." But hear him further:—

> The men and boys all scold and fret,
> When they come in to spend an hour
> Because the *Tribune* they have not,
> Even the little girls look sour.

Poor little girls, we would not have them look sour for the world, when the weekly arrival of the *Tribune* would make them look sweet. The men and boys we don't care much about, they're "ugly cusses" anyhow—but we want to please the girls. But listen to this:—

> These rainy days it would be so good,
> To have the Altoona *Tribune* to read
> They can't make hay, they can't chop wood,
> Your paper is what they need.

We can't say that we admire the metre of this stanza, but we will let that pass, it being enough for us to know that our paper is necessary to render rainy days pleasant, and keep things moving on the farm. We begin to think this is *the* paper. Now, only take notice to the next:—

> The worms have eat the cabbage,
> The bugs have eat the vines,
> The mice make dreadful ravage
> When we have not the *Tribune*.

Well, now, "who'd a thunk it." Our paper has become a "worm and bug exterminator" and "mouse destroyer," two virtues we never claimed for it, the discovery of which will no doubt bring in subscribers by the hundred. Not in fast, gentlemen, give us time to get larger subscription books. Now roll up, and hear the Egyptian poet again:—

> And when we get the babe to sleep
> We have to sing "Old Grimes;"
> Oh! how we miss the poetry,
> That in the Altoona *Tribune*.

The babies, bless their little hearts, they've got to listen to "old Grimes" until they are sick of him, all because "dad" didn't take the *Tribune*. Poor things, no wonder they cut their teeth so hard. But now that they have the *Tribune*, they'll go to sleep at dark. This new feature in our paper will of course bring us lots of lady subscribers, whom we shall wait upon politely. Gents, stand back, and let the ladies come up. But now comes the best stanza:—

> Don't throw this by for senseless trash,
> Nor scorn my humble rhymes,
> *For here you see we've sent the cash,*
> So please send us the *Tribune.*

Yes, guess we will send you the *Tribune* on those terms, and to as many more as shall "go and do likewise." Scorn your humble rhymes? No, sir; the rhymes and the dimes are all right, particularly the latter. Now for the directions:

> To ——— ——— please direct,
> In Egypt he resides,
> Mason county, Illinois State,
> Near the ——— River side.

With pleasure, sir, shall we direct as ordered, and may the *Tribune* prove a great source of light and comfort to you. We shall expect to hear of larger crops, better babies and more harmony in Egypt, during the coming year, than for many years past. Here comes in the finale:

> And now the very thing we seek
> Is, to have this printed next week,
> And to have the paper come,
> To ——— ——— pretty soon.

By seeking you have found, and in case old Uncle Sam's mail carriers do their duty, you will have the *Tribune* as soon as you see this in print. Adieu.

☞ The following is an additional indication of the success and superior attainments of the graduates of Duff's Mercantile College of Pittsburgh, Pa.

HANNIBAL, O., April 19, 1860.

The Principal and Teachers of Duff's Mercantile College.—Gentlemen:—Accept my thanks for what I have acquired from you. I would hardly barter my knowledge of book-keeping for money. With no other practice than what I got from your beautiful system of book-keeping in your classes, I have since kept one set of books entire, and have closed another set, that had been open for five years, without any difficulty. A number of others propose entering your classes from this town.

A. DUNLAP.

DEATH FROM STRANGULATION.—A little daughter of James Alexander, a colored man residing in this place, was choked to death on last Friday night, by a grain of corn getting into its windpipe. Strange to say she had got the corn in her throat some ten days before her death, and it did not affect her in the least till some five or six hours before her death.—*Register.*

☞ The Stockholders of the Altoona Gas and Water Company will bear in mind the meeting at the Gas Works on Saturday evening next, at 7½ o'clock, to hear the report of the President and Managers; and also the election for officers, on Monday next, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 1 P. M.

☞ Our friend over the hill, Judge Jones, has been luxuriating on several samples of fresh garden vegetables, in the shape of radishes, asparagus and pie plants, presented by Mrs. T. ——. Rather early for these diggins.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.—We are indebted to the *Standard* for the following condensed report of the April Court proceedings:

Com. *vs.* Ephraim Musselman.—Indictment larceny.—Verdict guilty. Sentenced to Penitentiary for eighteen months.

Com. vs. John K. Glass. Indictment, assault and battery. Not a true bill, and Chas. Boyer, the prosecutor, to pay the costs.

Com. vs. Charles Boyer, Frederick Baker, et al. Indictment, assault and battery, &c. Not a true bill, and John K. Glass, the prosecutor, to pay the costs.

Com. vs. James Little, Irvine Little, Alex. McKee, John Chestnut, Wm. Gray, Thos. Leer, Wilson Leer, Silas Bartlebaugh and Thomas Johnston. Indictment, riot, &c. True bill. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to undergo an imprisonment in the county jail for three weeks, and pay a fine of $5 and costs.

Com. vs. Israel Miller. Indictment, selling intoxicating liquors to minors. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to jail for ten days.

Com. vs. Michael Scandling. Indictment, selling liquor on Sunday. True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. Israel Miller. Indictment, selling liquor to men of intemperate habits. Verdict, not guilty, and that the defendant pay one-half the costs, and the prosecutor, Matthew Long, pay the other half.

Com. vs. Michael Scandling. Indictment, selling intoxicating drinks to minors. True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. Same. Indictment, keeping tippling house.—True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. Mary Scandling. Indictment, selling intoxicating drinks to minors. True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. H. C. Nicodemus and David Broombaugh. Indictment, forcible entry and detainer. Verdict defendants guilty of forcible entry, and David Broombaugh guilty of forcible detainer.

Com. vs. Henry Lergenmiller. Indictment, selling intoxicating liquors to minors. Nol. pros. entered upon payment of costs by defendant.

Com. vs. Richard McClain. Indictment, forcible entry and detainer. District Attorney enters nol. pros., upon payment of cost by defendant.

Com. vs. Edward H. Lytle. Indictment, false pretences. District Attorney enters nol. pros., and the defendant discharged.

Com. vs. John K. Glass. Indictment, larceny. Verdict, not guilty.

Com. vs. R. D. Cummings. Indictment, assault and battery. True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. Eliza Digman. Indictment, larceny. Not a true bill.

Com. vs. John Downey. Indictment, fornication and bastardy. Defendant pleads guilty. Usual sentence.

Com. vs. Powell Grow. Indictment, malicious mischief. Not guilty, on the ground of partial insanity.

Com. vs. Alex. Riling and George Weaver. Indictment, malicious mischief. Verdict, "Defendants not guilty, but that they pay one-half the costs, and Daniel Ragan, the prosecutor, the other half.

Com. vs. James C. Shoemaker. Indictment, furnishing intoxicating drinks to men of intemperate habits. Grand Inquest return not a true bill, and W. F. Bridenthal to pay the costs.

Com. vs. John Denny. Indictment, fornication and bastardy. Sentenced to pay a fine of $5, and enter into a recognizance for $500, conditioned to indemnify the Directors of the Poor, it having appeared that the defendant had paid the lying-in expenses and adopted the child.

Com. vs. David McClarrey. Indictment, assault and battery. True bill. Case continued.

Com. vs. Quirin Gosser. Indictment, larceny. True bill. Defendant pleads guilty and submits. Sentenced to Penitentiary for two years and six months.

Com. vs. C. Mungold. Indictment, larceny. District Attorney enters a nol. pros. and defendant discharged.

Com. vs. James Thompson. Indictment, adultery. True bill. Verdict, guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and undergo six months imprisonment.

Com. vs. Daniel K. Reamy. Indictment, gambling house. Verdict, not guilty, but defendant to pay the costs of prosecution.

Com. vs. Thomas Mays. Surety of the Peace. Recognizances forfeited and defendant discharged.

Com. vs. George Hoover. Charge of false pretence. Nol. pros. entered upon payment of costs by prosecutor.

Com. vs. D. Fleck and Wm. Davis. Charge of forcible entry, &c. District Attorney enters nol. pros. upon payment of costs by defendant.

Com. vs. Kerby Foster et al. Cutting timber, &c. District Attorney enters nol. pros. upon payment of costs by the prosecutor.

☞ We have often heard it said that we see something new everytime we turn a corner, and we did see something new, the other day, on turning the corner on our way from our house to our office—we refer to the new bulk window lately put up by Mrs. Hollar, in front of her Millinery and ladies' dress and trimming store, on the "Cheap Corner." The display in this window is such that not a few ladies spend more time when they go out shopping than they intended to, for the reason that they can not pass the "loves of bonnets," and other nice things to be seen there, without stopping to admire them. If they step inside they will find many more handsome articles, and be waited upon with pleasure and politeness.

THE WINDS.—

I am a thing, though invisible to the eye,
Sometimes I'm low, sometimes I'm high,
Sometimes I'm high, sometimes I'm low,
Sometimes I'm swift, sometimes I'm slow,
Sometimes I come with vengeance strong,
Sometimes I come like the lover's song,
I scale the hills and the mountains high,
I pass the lord and the beggar by,
But pay attention to those who buy
their clothing at Tuck's Union Clothing Bazaar,
on Main street, where may now be found the
largest and best assortment of ready-made clothing ever brought to a country town. Harry knows how to buy goods, and he can therefore sell them at the lowest rates. Give him a call and select a suit.

☞ We believe it is an universally admitted fact that ladies look the prettiest when they first make their appearance in the spring fashions; and in many instances, we doubt not, they have on those occasions made impressions upon the sterner sex, which has eventuated in a visit to the minister. Since this is the fact, ladies should endeavor to get the prettiest and most fashionable goods in the market, wherewith to place themselves in the market, and this they can do by calling upon Miss Jennie Scott, who has just returned from the east with an endless variety of ladies' dress goods, bonnets, collars, caps, (for the old ladies not for the girls,) ribbons, &c., &c., which she will dispose of at reasonable prices. Call and get a bonnet and catch a beau.

HOW TO BECOME A GOOD HORSEMAN.—A knowing writer on the subject, in laying down rules for riding on horseback, gives the following advice—"Keep your head up, chin down, chest forward, shoulders back, elbows in, hands down, back in, belly out, feet forward, thighs fixed, knees in, legs close, heels down, toes in, loins loose, seat firm, hands tight, horse and rider well balanced, trot two hours every day without stirrups, and then time and perseverance may make you a good horseman. To this we beg to add that when you have perfected yourself under these instructions, you may invite a lady to ride with you, or enlist in a regiment of dragoons.

TROUBLESOME COUGHS AND COLDS.—The health of the community is always a subject of serious consideration to those who are supposed to direct public opinion, and there is no more prevalent source of untimely deaths than the coughs and colds, which make their appearance during the winter and spring months. We would advise all such who are afflicted with any lung difficulty to apply at once to Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup, a medicine prepared by a physician of the old school, who has cured himself by this great medicine, nearly twenty years ago, and has since used it with wonderful effect. We know Dr. Keyser to be a man entitled to the respect of the public, and as such, we would recommend his Pectoral Syrup as a superior remedy. Sold at G. W. Kessler's.

HATS! HATS!!—Jesse Smith has just received from the city all the latest styles of Spring and Summer Hats, such as light Felt, Straw, and Panama Hats, &c., for men and boys, and Misses' and Children's Flats, of different varieties,—all of which will be sold very cheap.

EARLY VEGETABLES.—John Alexander requests us to state that he will keep constantly on hand all kinds of early garden vegetables, such as onions, radishes, beets, pie plants, &c., &c. Give him a call.

☞ The ladies and all others will find it to their advantage to call at McCormick's cheap store, before making purchases elsewhere.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

For the Altoona Tribune.

"Take ample verge, shoot folly as it flies,
The world improves with every fool that dies."

We, the people of the United States, are sometimes told that we are the most enlightened and highly civilized people upon earth; and under the delusive appearance of its probable truth we swallow the whole dose. Unwilling to look, for fear of the contrary, we never see a single cloud in the sky of our mental horizon, contenting ourselves with the gracious palliation that human nature is not infallible. What if it is not? Reason and judgment are given to us, and the means of knowledge and wisdom are spread broad-cast before us. How can we then, as a people, justly evade the truth of willfully causing much of our own folly. What are the exciting and interesting conversational topics of the day? Look around you and listen; first and foremost comes the great "prize fight" or "mill" in its doggerel acceptation, between Heenan and Sayers. Men are seen together in groups upon the street, in stores, dwellings, and even not far from the vestibule to places of public worship, discussing the merits (physical) of these wonderful pugilistic champions. Behold them becoming pugilistic themselves—their arms and hands in motion. Heenan *will* whip! Heenan must whip, or our national pride is gone!—Alas! that the pride of a nation should be thought to be based upon such barbarous practices. We might as well assert that a dog-fight between a well-selected American cur and a similar one of English breed, would be the test of national strength, courage and greatness. The idea here becomes preposterous. How much better then if this subject was turned into scorn when alluded to, and the intelligent assertion made, that nothing short of incarceration and hard labor should be the just reward meted out to the physical endurance of these wonderful pugilists. But change we now. A little better theme is up, though sometimes less wisely argued—the great political agitations now going on. Divided, as we are, into factious, too numerous to mention, each having its furious partizans, proclaiming long and loud that they are right and all others are wrong. That the country must be redeemed, &c. Is it to be wondered at that, as of yore, calm deliberations, order, and the good of the whole country, are now never thought of? Party spirit, party spoils and party availability are now the watch-word of the day. Instead of trying to lead people in the right, he who would play the politician must shut his eyes to this, and go with them in the wrong. If we look to our Halls of Legislation, to the law-givers of the land, to the men who have been sent there for the greatest wisdom and experience, we shall see the same misguided conflict and difference of opinion. Still we are pleased graciously to style ourselves a highly cultivated, civilized and enlightened people, and with the present sway of the almighty dollar and a "time-serving Press" at our command, we are enabled to establish this endearing hyperbole. O, tempora! O, mores! S.

For the Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, May 1st, 1860.

Messrs. Editors:—The last number of the Hollidaysburg *Register* contains a communication of a certain wiseacre, in that section, no doubt, who has taken upon himself the grave office of instructing the School Directors of the county how to act in casting their votes for County Superintendent of Common Schools, at the convention on Monday next. He is a wise man, no doubt. What a pity all the School Directors could not be like him. Among other things, he says, "it has been hinted (delicately enough) that by the Constitution of Pennsylvania, no man can hold an office of this Commonwealth, unless he has been a resident of the District or County, in which he is a candidate, at least one year preceding his election." This is a base garble. The Constitution contains no such clause. Here is what is said, *verbatim et literatim:* "No person shall be *appointed* within any county who shall not have been a citizen and an inhabitant therein one year before his *appointment.*" It does not say elect or elected, but appointed, and has more immediate reference to special appointments, and an appointment does not mean an election, as an election must invariably be by ballot or *viva voce*, or it is no election. Besides this, the enactment of the Common School law must have been within the pale of the Constitution, or it could be no law, and this law among its requirements for qualifications of candidates is silent as to this. It is to be hoped that this piece of folly will be passed unnoticed by the Directors, as it is only a miserable subterfuge resorted to by some of the writers of the Hollidaysburg papers for the defeat of highly qualified and deserving candidates.

CIVIS.

Notice.—The subscribers to the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company are hereby notified that if the full amount of their subscription is not paid on or before the 16th day of May next, Section 8th of the Act of Assembly for the incorporation of Gas and Water Companies will be strictly enforced:—

"SECTION 8. That if the stockholder, whether an original subscriber or assignee, after twenty day's notice of the time and place appointed for the payment of any instalment or proportion of the capital stock, shall neglect to pay the same at the place appointed, for the space of thirty days after the time appointed for payment thereof, such stockholder shall, in addition to the instalment so called for, pay at the rate of one per centum per month for every delay of such payment, and if the same and additional penalty shall become equal to the sum before paid on account of such share, the same may be forfeited by and to the said company, and may be sold by them at public sale for such price as may be obtained therefor, or in default of payment of any stockholders of such instalments as aforesaid for the space of sixty days after the time appointed as aforesaid, the president and managers may at their election cause suit to be brought in the same manner as debts of a like amount are now recoverable, for the recovery of the same, together with the penalties aforesaid."

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

Altoona, April 18, 1860-4t.

OFFICE OF THE ALTOONA GAS & WATER CO., ALTOONA, April 5th, 1860.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Altoona Gas & Water Company, will be held at the office of the Company, at the Gas Works, on Saturday evening, May 5th, at 7½, for the purpose of hearing the report of the President and Board of Managers.

An election for President, a Board of five Managers and a Treasurer, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, on Monday, May 7th, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 1 P. M.

No person will be allowed to vote at said election unless the full amount of his capital stock shall have been paid in.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y*

A CARD.

I have understood from a reliable source, that interested parties have reported that I had moved my GAS FITTING AND PLUMBING establishment from Altoona. I would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona that it is not, nor has it ever been my intention to remove. Persons desiring work done in a good and substantial manner, and at lowest prices, can be accommodated by calling at my shop, 3 *doors below the Post Office*, or upon B. F. Rose, General Superintendent's Office.

G. A. OGELSBY.

MARRIED.

On the evening of the 26th inst., at the house of the bridegroom in Turkey Valley, by Isaac Yingling, Esq., Mr. JOHN BAIRD and Mrs. MARY WESTOVER, both of Frankstown township.

On Thursday, April 26, 1860, at the house of the bride's father, by the Rev. Jos. Fitchner, Mr. JOSIAH C. BURK, of Blair county, to Miss ANNIE SLOOP, of Bedford co.

DIED.

In this place, on Monday last, at the residence of Mr. R. Reibenack, Miss ANNA CATHARINE ITEL, of Jefferson, Cambria county, in the 20th year of her age.

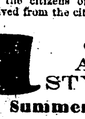
Of Consumption, after an illness of over a year, on the 24th ult., at Sharpsburg, Blair county, Mrs. SUSAN E. NICODEMUS, aged 27 years and 26 days.

FOR SALE BY A. ROUSH, ALTOONA, PENN'A.
May 3, 1860.

HEENAN AND SAYERS!

JESSE SMITH,

Would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has just arrived from the city with a large and splendid stock of

HATS AND CAPS,  OF ALL STYLES,

For Spring and Summer Wear,

of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of

Misses and Children's Flats,
MEN AND BOYS' STRAW HATS,

of different varieties, all of which will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, May 3, 1860-tf. JESSE SMITH.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING in the Altoona Post Office, May 1, 1860:

Ambeiser, John	Man, J. B.
Ainsworth, J. H.	Mitchell, Wm.
Allison, Wm.	Mohr, Philip
Bechtel, J. G.	Murdock, S. A.
Bigler, Ellen	McCullough, Thos.
Barston, Jno. A.	McKown, Geo.
Black, J.	McGowan, Jas.
Boam, Theodore	Nelson, O. P.
Brice, Conrad	Nagle, Mich'l J.
Brunker, Thos.	Price, Eliza
Byrne, Marg't	Quirk, Jas.
Canman, J.	Richardson, Owen
Clark, Ellen	Stalder, John 2
Cullen, James	Schiner, W. C.
Crawley, D.	Skehan, Nancy
Cox, D. P.	Scheibler, Aloes
Davis, J. W. 2	Shuderland, E. A.
Evans, Maria	Stwet, C. Mrs.
Edenbo, John	Smith, J. T.
Humes, M'Allister, Hale&Co.	Shank, George
Hanigan, Pat'k	Stoumbaugh, Jos.
Hickey, James	Talbot, Wm
Johnston, L. M.	Thomas, P. M.
Jenkins, Isaac 2	Tobbs, Mollie A.
Jenkins, C. S. 2	Templston, Catharine
James, Thomas 2	Thomas, John
Johnson, David,	White, James
Kounsman, John	Watkins, Prudence
Krinel, Sam'l	Willoughby, J. A.
Kern, T.	White, Thos. Hon.

Persons calling for letters on this list will please say they are advertised. JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.
May 3, 1860.

S. ETTINGER & ULLMAN,
WHOLESALE CLOTHING,
No. 107 North Third St. above Arch,
Philadelphia.
MERCHANTS
VISITING PHILADELPHIA,
Will find it to their advantage to call and examine their stock.

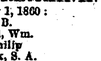
ALL THE CLOTHING SOLD BY this firm is manufactured under their own personal supervision, and they can therefore guarantee their goods to all who purchase from them.

☞ They have BRANCHES of their House established at

TYRONE, ALTOONA, & WILLMORE,

For the retailing of their Goods, and they flatter themselves that they can furnish the public with *Ready-Made Clothing* better and at lower price than can be got elsewhere. [April 26, '60.

HOUSE AND LOT AT PRIVATE SALE.—The Gate House and Lot belonging to the ALTOONA AND HOLLIDAYSBURG PLANE ROAD CO., situate ½ mile from Altoona, is offered at Private Sale. For terms and further particulars inquire of JOSEPH DYSART, President of the Company. [April 26, 1860-tf.



Cheap Goods! Cheap Goods!!

AT

McCORMICK'S STORE.

JUST ARRIVED, AND NOW BEING OPENED, a large stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, of all the late styles and qualities in the Eastern market. In the line of

LADIES' DRESS AND DOMESTIC GOODS,

we cannot be surpassed by any house in the place. Our stock of GROCERIES, such as

COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA, SYRUPS, &c.,

are of the best kind, and all fresh.

HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, FLATS FOR LADIES AND MISSES,

together with a full assortment of

GENTLEMEN & BOYS' DRESS BOOTS, BOOTEES AND GAITERS.

In the Ladies' Department, are all the different and latest styles of

GAITERS, BOOTS, BUSKIN AND SLIPPERS,

together with a general assortment for Children & Misses, and a good and full stock of

GENTLEMENS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING,

for Spring and Summer. The largest assortment of

WALL PAPER

ever brought to the place, and being unprecedently low, from 6¼ up to 25 cents per roll, with BORDERING to match.

And as we purpose henceforth to give the business our especial attention, we will sell very low for cash or country produce, and will take in exchange, as usual, *Butter, Eggs, Lard, Tallow, Potatoes, Beeswax, &c.* Thankful for past patronage, we hope, by a strict adherence to business, to our old motto, "*Small profits and quick sales,*" to retain our customers old and gain may new ones.

May 3, 1860.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

AT

R. A. O. KERR'S.

R. A. O. Kerr has just received the largest, most fashionable and best selected stock of Goods in the market, consisting of an endless variety of goods for men and boys' wear.

The largest and best assortment of Ladies' Dress Goods in town, consisting of black and fancy Silks, all Wool Delaines, Alpacas, Challie Delaines, plain and figured Braize, Lawns, Ginghmus, Ducals, Lavella Cloths, De Barge, Travelling Dress Goods, and a beautiful assortment of Prints, &c. Also, Tickings, Checks, Muslins—Black and Unbleached, Cotton and Linen Table Diaper, Crash, Nankeen, &c.

Also, a large assortment of Ladies' Collars, Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Gloves, Gauntlets, Mitts, Hosiery, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Veils, Barred and Plain Jaconet, Swiss Muslins, Victoria Lawns, Mull Muslins, Swiss and Cambric Edging, Dimity Bands, Velvet Ribbons, &c. Also, a fine assortment of

SPRING SHAWLS,

AND

Ladies' Black Silk Summer Cloaks,

Neat and Beautiful,

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps,

Hardware, Queensware, Wood and Willow Ware, Groceries, Salt and Fish. Also, the Largest and Best Assortment of Fancy

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS

in town, which will be sold cheap.

Call and examine my goods, and you will be convinced that I have the best assortment and cheapest goods in the market.

☞ Country produce taken in exchange for goods, at the highest market price. R. A. O. KERR.
April 26, '60.

GOOD NEWS!

The Train has Arrived!

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RETURNED from the city with a large and carefully selected stock of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS,

which he is determined to sell cheap, consisting in part of Black and Fancy SILKS, Bombazines, Delaines, Calicoes, Flannels, Ginghams, Muslins, White Goods, SHAWLS, &c. Also, MEN'S WEAR of all descriptions, such as Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Tweeds, Jeans, Cord Drillings, Vestings, &c., &c.

Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

A large assortment of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, for Ladies, Gents and Misses, of all prices, sizes and qualities.

Also, a large assortment of QUEENSWARE and HARDWARE, Single and Double Carpet Chain, Fleece Cotton, CARPETS, &c.

GROCERIES:

This department is supplied with the very choicest articles that can be had in market, and as cheap as can be had anywhere, consisting in part of prime RIO COFFEE, SUGAR, all kinds and prices; Syrup and Molasses, Black and Green Teas, Rice, Spices, Tobacco and Segars; Starch, Corn Starch, Cheese, Ginger, Candles, Mustard, Oils, Turpentine, FISH, &c., &c.

Thankful for past favors, he hopes to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in Exchange for Goods. J. B. HILEMAN.
April 26, 1860.

The Latest from the East!!

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE "MODEL STORE," corner of Annie and Virginia Streets, take pleasure in informing the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that they have received their first stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

to which they respectfully invite the attention of all, and particularly the ladies, feeling confident that our present Stock of Goods is well worth an examination, and believing also that we have bought them on such terms as will enable us to offer inducements to purchasers. Our stock of Dry Goods is large and varied, comprising all the newest styles of

Prints, Delaines, Debreges, Lavellas, Poil de Chevres, Ginghams, Tarleses, Challies, Travelling Mixtures, Black and Fancy Silks, together with a full line of Domestics. We have a large assortment of Notions and Fancy articles, such as Gloves, &c.

Our stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES

is unusually large and very cheap. In these goods we can not be beat by any one either in quality or price, for proof of which please call and see goods and prices.

We would invite attention to our large stock of CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WALL PAPER AND BORDER, which we are able to sell at greatly reduced prices. We have also a good assortment of HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, WOODEN AND WILLOW-WARE, GROCERIES.

Being truly thankful for the patronage heretofore received from the public, we cordially invite our friends to call and see us again, hoping that the benefit may be mutual.

J. & J. LOWTHER.
Altoona, April 12th, 1860.

GREAT EXCITEMENT!

AT THE

PEOPLES' SHOE STORE

STEWART & THOMPSON TAKE pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Altoona that they have just opened, on Annie street, two doors below the Post Office, a BOOT & SHOE STORE, and will constantly keep on hand a full assortment of Boots and Shoes, of all sizes and kinds. They have just received from the Eastern cities a very extensive assortment of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters for Ladies, Gentlemen's and Children's wear, all of neat finish and excellent manufacture, which they will sell for cash only, at least 25 PER CENT. CHEAPER than the same can be purchased elsewhere—as will be seen by referring to the following price list:—

Men's fine Calf Boots,	$2 25	to $3 50.
" Kip "	2 75	" 3 25.
Boy's " "	1 75	" 2 00.
Youth's "		1 75.
Men's Calf Gaiters,		2 00.
Men's Oxford Ties,	1 62	" 2 00.
Men's Brogans,	1 12	" 1 65.
Boys' Brogans,	75	" 1 20.
Youth's Shoes,	62	" 87.
Children's Shoes,	25	" 55.
Ladies' Congress Gaiters,	1 68	" 1 70.
Ladies' Lasting Gaiters with heels,	1 37	" 1 50.
Ladies' Superior Lasting Gaiter,		1 65.
Ladies' Morocco Boots with heels,	1 30	" 1 65.
Ladies' Morocco Boots without heels,	1 25	" 1 37.
Ladies' Goat Boots with heels,		1 20.
Ladies' Calf Boots with heels,	1 20	" 1 36.
Misses' Calf Boots with heels,	75	" 1 06.

Having bought our goods for cash, they were put at the lowest figure, and by doing an exclusively cash business customers are not made to pay for bad debts, hence our LOW PRICES.

☞ FLOUR, FEED and BACON always on hand and for sale cheap.

We respectfully solicit a liberal share of public patronage.
April 12, 1860.-3m

BŒRHAVE'S

HOLLAND BITTERS

THE CELEBRATED HOLLAND REMEDY FOR

DYSPEPSIA,

DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS,

LIVER COMPLAINT,

WEAKNESS OF ANY KIND,

FEVER AND AGUE,

And the various affections consequent upon a disordered

STOMACH OR LIVER,

Such as Indigestion, Acidity of the Stomach, Colicky Pains, Heartburn, Loss of Appetite, Despondency, Costiveness, Blind and Bleeding Piles. In all Nervous, Rheumatic, and Neuralgic Affections, it has in numerous instances proved highly beneficial, and in others effected a decided cure.

This is a purely vegetable compound, prepared on strictly scientific principles, after the manner of the celebrated Holland Professor, Boerhave. Its reputation at home produced its introduction here, the demand commencing with those of the Fatherland scattered over the face of this mighty country, many of whom brought with them and handed down the tradition of its value. *It is now offered to the American public, knowing that its truly wonderful medicinal virtues must be acknowledged.*

It is particularly recommended to those persons whose constitutions may have been impaired by the continuous use of ardent spirits, or other forms of dissipation. Generally instantaneous in effect, it finds its way directly to the seat of life, thrilling and quickening every nerve, raising up the drooping spirit, and, in fact, infusing new health and vigor in the system.

NOTICE.—Whoever expects to find this a beverage will be disappointed; but to the sick, weak and low spirited, it will prove a grateful aromatic cordial, possessed of singular remedial properties.

READ CAREFULLY!

The Genuine highly concentrated Boerhave's Holland Bitters is put up in half-pint bottles only, and retailed at ONE DOLLAR per bottle, or six bottles for FIVE DOLLARS. The great demand for this truly celebrated Medicine has induced many imitations, which the public should guard against purchasing.

☞ Beware of Imposition. See that our name is on the label of every bottle you buy.

Sold by Druggists generally. It can be forwarded by Express to most points.

SOLE PROPRIETORS,

BENJAMIN PAGE, JR. & CO.

MANUFACTURING

Pharmaceutists and Chemists,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

For sale by

HOSTETTER'S
STOMACH BITTERS.

It is a fact that, at some period, every member of the human family is subject to disease or disturbance of the bodily functions; but, with the aid of a good tonic and the exercise of plain common sense, they may be able so to regulate the system as to secure permanent health. In order to accomplish this desired object, the true course to pursue is certainly that which will produce a natural state of things at the least hazard of vital strength and life. For this purpose, Dr. Hostetter has introduced to this country a preparation bearing his name, which is not a new medicine, but one that has been tried for years, giving satisfaction to all who have used it. The Bitters operate powerfully upon the stomach, bowels, and liver, restoring them to a healthy and vigorous action, and thus, by the simple process of strengthening nature, enable the system to triumph over disease.

For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid inaction of the Stomach or Bowels, producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

Diarrhœa, dysentery or flux, so generally contracted by new settlers, and caused principally by the change of water and diet, will be speedily regulated by a brief use of this preparation. Dyspepsia, a disease which is probably more prevalent, in all its various forms, than any other, and the cause of which may always be attributed to derangements of the digestive organs, can be cured without fail by using HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, as per directions on the bottle. For this disease every physician will recommend Bitters of some kind; then why not use an article known to be infallible? All nations have their Bitters, as a preventive of disease and strengthener of the system in general; and among them all there is not to be found a more healthy people than the Germans, from whom this preparation emanated, based upon scientific experiments which have tended to prove the value of this great preparation in the scale of medical science.

FEVER AND AGUE.—This trying and provoking disease, which fixes its relentless grasp on the body of man, reducing him to a mere shadow in a short time, and rendering him physically and mentally useless, can be driven from the body by the use of HOSTETTER'S RENOWNED BITTERS. Further, none of the above-stated diseases can be contracted, even in exposed situations, if the Bitters are used as per directions. And as they neither create nausea nor offend the palate, and render unnecessary any change of diet or interruption of ordinary pursuits, but promote sound sleep and healthy digestion, the complaint is removed as speedily as is consistent with the production of a thorough and permanent cure.

For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother while nursing these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should by all means try this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, Canada, South America, and Germany.

☞ Sold by G W Kessler and A Roush, Altoona; G A Jacobs, J K Patton and W G Murray, Hollidaysburg; and S. Berlin Tyrone. [Aug 25, 1859-1p

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Watchmen, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution established by Special Endowment, for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

Medical Advice given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty, Medicines furnished free of charge.

VALUABLE REPORTS on Spermatorrhœa, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the NEW REMEDIES employed in the Dispensary, sent to the afflicted in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three Stamps for postage will be acceptable.

Address, DR. J. SKILLON HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *Pres't.*
GEO. FAIRCHILD, *Sec'y.* [Jan. 19, '60.-1y

GLENN'S
ONE PRICE HAT AND CAP STORE,
(CORNER OF THE FIVE STORY BLOCK,)
North West Corner of Eighth and Race Streets,
PHILADELPHIA.

THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY invited to bear in mind that at this Store may be found an assortment of fashionable and handsome

Molskin Dress Hats, Soft Hats,

High, Low and Medium Depth Crown, Cloth and Glazed Caps, Plush and Plush Trimmed Caps for Men and Boys, Fancy Hats and Caps for Children,
at Fair Prices.

☞ NO TWO PRICES FOR REGULAR GOODS. ☜
Jan. 12, 1860.-1y

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken, wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 28th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Mineral Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

LYON'S
Pure Ohio Catawba Brandy.

THE UNIVERSAL PREFERENCE which is given to this brand shows that it is the only PURE BRANDY for

MEDICINAL PURPOSE

known, which is fully corroborated by all practicing physicians who have used it in their practice.

For Summer Complaints with Children,

A Cure is guarantied or the money will be refunded,

as it will effectually relieve that affliction, as well as

Diarrhœa & Bowel Complaint,

AS A BEVERAGE,

The pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign and SURE REMEDY for

Dispepsia, Flatulency, Cramp, Colic, Languor, Low Spirits, General Debility, Nervousness, Liver Complaint, etc.

Physicians, who have used it in their practice, speak of it in the most flattering terms, as will be seen by reference to the numerous letters and certificates.

A. HART & CO., Proprietors, Cincinnati.

A. ROUSH,

Sole Wholesale and Retail Agent for Blair county.
Nov. 10, 1859.

WOOD, EDDY & CO.'S

LOTTERIES,

AUTHORIZED BY THE STATES OF

GEORGIA, DELAWARE, KENTUCKY AND MISSOURI,

Draw daily, in public, under the superintendence of Sworn Commissioners, at Augusta, Georgia, and Wilmington, Delaware.

Prizes vary from $2½ to $100,000!

TICKETS FROM $2½ TO $20!

☞ Circulars, giving full Explanation and the Schemes to be drawn, will be sent, free of expense, by addressing

WOOD, EDDY & CO., Augusta, Georgia.
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Wilmington, Delaware.
January 5, 1860.-1y

GREAT OPENING
OF
SPRING AND SUMMER
GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

ERGES, DUCALS, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES, and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS GOODS*,

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

will be sold a little cheapor than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of

CLOTHS,
AND
Cassimeres,
VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to offering for sale, make them up in the latest style & most durable manner, as home but are employed and the best workmen be warranted to do has also a good all work made will FURNISHING give satisfaction. GOODS, Stock of GENTS' such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c.; also a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.

May 5th 1859-tf. THOMAS ELWAY.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*
May 19, 1859.-tf

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has opened a

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE,

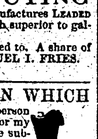
on Helen street, between Annie and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADED IRON Spouting, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to. A share of public patronage is solicited. SAMUEL I. FRIES.
Oct. 27th, '59-tf.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of



BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57-tf JOHN H. ROBERTS.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
1-tf G. W. KESSLER.

BLANKS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS neatly and expeditiously executed at this office.

GREAT CENTRAL
LITERARY EMPORIUM,
NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.,

WHERE MAY BE HAD ALL THE popular Publications of the day, as follows:

New York Ledger,
New York Mercury,
New York Weekly,
Scientific American,
New York Waverly,
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True Flag,
American Union,
Saturday Evening Post,
Dollar Newspaper,
Sunday Dispatch,
Sunday Mercury,
Waverly Magazine,
Frank Leslie's Pictorial,
Harper's Weekly,
Ballou's Pictorial,
Frank Leslie's Ill. German Paper,
The Illustrated World, (German,)
The New York Clipper,
National Police Gazette,
United States Police Gazette,
Boston Pilot, *Irish American,*
Home Journal, *Banner of Light,*
Spiritual Telegraph, *Weekly Tribune,*
Porter's Spirit, *Life Illustrated,*
Frank Leslie's Budget of Fun, *Yankee Notions,*
Altoona Tribune, *Nix Nax.*

DAILIES:

Philadelphia Press, *New York Herald,*
Public Ledger, *New York Tribune,*
Pittsburgh True Press, *New York Times.*
North American, *Pittsburgh Chronicle,*
Evening Bulletin, *Evening Argus,* *Pennsylvanian.*

To which will be added the new publications as they appear. Magazines, Novels and Romances. Miscellaneous Books, School Books. Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper, Blank Books and in fact every thing in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, &c.

☞ A choice lot of CONFECTIONERIES, of every variety. Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS of the best quality.

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does positively cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it.
7-tf. H. FETTINGER.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR HEAD!

A poet gives the following advice to young men on going to parties:

It going to parties, just mind what your at;
Beware of your head and take care of your HAT;
Least you find that a favorite son of your mother,
Has an ache in the one and a brick in the other.

Speaking about hats and heads—the subscriber would respectfully announce that he has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS, OF ALL STYLES,

FOR FALL AND WINTER,

of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of

LADIES AND MISSES FURS,

of different varieties, all of which will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, April 28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware,
SPOUTING, &C.

JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESpectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Shuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

MARRIAGE GUIDE—BEING A private instructor for married persons, or those about to be married both male and female, in everything concerning the physiology and relations of our system, and the production or prevention offspring, including all the new discoveries never before given in the English language, by WM. YOUNG, M. D. This is really a valuable and interesting work. It is written in plain language for the general reader, and is illustrated with numerous Engravings. All young married people, or those contemplating marriage, and having the least impediment to married life, should read this book. It discloses secrets that every one should be acquainted with; still it is a book that must be locked up, and not lie about the house. It will be sent to any one on the receipt of twenty-five cents in specie or in postage stamps. Address DR. WM. YOUNG, No. 416 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

☞ AFFLICTED AND UNFORTUNATE—No matter what may be your disease, before you place yourself under the care of any one of the notorious quacks—native or foreign—who advertise in this or any other paper, get a copy of either of Dr. Young's Books, and read it carefully. It will be the means of saving you many a dollar, your health and possibly your life.

DR. YOUNG can be consulted on any of the diseases described in his publications, at his Office, No. 416 Spruce St. above Fourth. [Apr. 12, '60.-1yeow.

CONSUMPTION AND ASTHMA CURED.

DR. H. JAMES,

Discovered, while in the West Indies, a certain cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and General Debility. The remedy was discovered by him when his only child, a daughter, was given up to die. His child was cured, and is now alive and well. Desirous of benefiting his fellow mortals, he will send to those who wish it, the recipe containing full directions for making and successfully using this remedy, free, on receipt of their names with stamp for return postage. When received, take it to G. W. Kessler, Druggist, Altoona. There is not a single symptom of Consumption which it does not at once take hold of and dissipate. Night sweats, peevishness, irritation of the nerves, failure of memory, difficult expectoration, sharp pain in the lungs, sore throat, chilly sensations, nausea at the stomach, inaction of the bowels, wasting away of the muscles. Address O. P. BROWN & CO., 32 and 34 John St., New York.
March 3, 1860.-6m.*

De Forest, Armstrong & Co.,
DRY GOODS MERCHANTS,
80 & 82 Chambers St., N. Y.,

WOULD NOTIFY THE TRADE that they are opening Weekly, in new and beautiful patterns, the

WAMSUTTA PRINTS,
ALSO THE
AMOSKEAG,

A New Print, which excels every Print in the Country for perfection of execution and design in full Madder Colors. Our Prints are cheaper than any in market, and meeting with extensive sale. Orders promptly attended to.
Feb'y 2, 1860.-1y

Bakery and Grocery Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand

Fresh-Baked Bread, Cakes, &c.
Fresh Butter, Bacon, FLOUR,
GROCERIES,

Also, a choice lot of SEGARS and TOBACCO.

JACOB RINK,
Nov. 10. Virginia Street, below Annie Street.

SEND FOR

SIR WALTER DE RUSE'S GREAT BOOK.—Every married and single woman should have this valuable and instructive work. It will save them many sleepless nights and days of sorrow. Every young man and woman contemplating holy wedlock, should have this highly instructive book. It will save to those who read it thousands of dollars, and many after chagrins and regrets. Mothers, fathers, sisters, brothers, send for it and read its instructive pages. You will never regret it. Sent free to any address, by enclosing four stamps to W. DE RUSE, M. D., Box 84, Philadelphia Post Office.
Feb. 9, 1860.-1y.

ASTMA. For the INSTANT RELIEF and PERMANENT CURE of this distressing complaint use

FENDT'S
BRONCHIAL CIGARETTES,

Made by C. B. SEYMOUR & CO., 107 Nassau St., N. Y. Price, $1 per box; sent free by post.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGILTS.

March 29, 1860.-6m.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by
Oct. 15-tf J. B. HILEMAN.

DR. O. PHELPS BROWN'S
ACACIAN BALSAM,
FOR THE PERMANENT
CURE OF CONSUMPTION, BRONCHITIS,
ASTHMA, COUGHS, COLDS,
GENERAL DEBILITY, &C.

This remedy is offered as affording a means of speedy cure for the large number that die annually in our land of that fell scourge, Consumption, to which, unfortunately, so many predisposing causes exist. Youth and age are alike subject to its ravages.

EVERY PERSON

can name one or more of his acquaintances who is subject to some form of lung or throat complaint, which, if not attended to in season, inevitably consigns the sufferer to a premature grave. To such, help is at hand if they will but avail themselves of it, and hope,—the harbinger of brighter days,—may be awakened without fear of chilling disappointment. Dr. O. PHELPS BROWN'S ACACIAN BALSAM does just what is claimed for it, and may be relied upon by the sick as being the most successful in curing lung and throat disorders, of any remedy known at the present day. The many phases assumed by Consumption justifies the apprehension of those who have reason to fear its approach, either from constitutional or hereditary tendency.

While the discoverer of this remedy does not believe that people should be constantly dosing themselves with medicines

TO PREVENT SICKNESS,

there are many cases where disease is too long allowed to remain unchecked in the system; and a slight cough, regarded at first as simply an annoyance, ceases only with the life of the patient. An impure state of the blood, through debilitation of the lungs, fills the system with morbid humors, and pulsation becomes feeble or accelerated to a feverish intensity—the heart, liver, and kidneys, separately performing functions of vital necessity to our well-being, are impeded in their regular action—the digestive organs falter in their task, and refuse to perform the process of separating the nutritious elements from food, and the whole mental being is well-nigh ready to sink under the burden of life. The patient so afflicted, accounts his case a complication of disorders, and often refuses to resort to medication, from his thorough disbelief in any prospect of cure. To such

TASK THE TRIAL

of the ACACIAN BALSAM, as thoroughly worthy the confidence of all. Every symptom of Consumption is surely and permanently eradicated by its use. Its effects are none other but strengthening and renovating to the entire system. Bronchitis, Asthma, Coughs, Colds, and General Debility, are effectually cured by its use. Night Sweats, Loss of Flesh, and Wasting away of the Muscles, Loss of Appetite, Soreness of the Throat, Chest, and Lungs, Liver Complaint, Palpitation of the Heart, Difficulty of Breathing—all these affections disappear in an incredibly short time after using Dr. O. Phelps Brown's Acacian Balsam.

It nourishes and strengthens the patient who is too much reduced to partake of ordinary food. It heals all internal sores, tubercles, and inflammation. It strengthens, braces, and revitalizes the brain, and is without a rival as a tonic, supplying electricity or magnetic force to every part of the enfeebled and prostrate body. I needs no lengthy trial to convince any that the ACACIAN BALSAM is truly the greatest remedy of the day, as its beneficial qualities are fully apparent in eight-and-forty hours after trial.

Let the invalid, then, no longer delay, but make the trial, and the result will surely be of the most gratifying character.

The ACACIAN BALSAM is prepared with the greatest care, and the best materials. No pains or expense are spared to make it what it is—the best known remedy of the age. It may be taken by either sex, of all ages, and at all seasons, with perfect safety; and it is none the less powerful in conquering those diseases which sap the foundation and destroy the lives of so many in our midst. Every family should have it, and regard it as a household treasure.

Descriptive pamphlets given to all who apply to my agents.

PRICE $2 PER BOTTLE

PREPARED ONLY BY
Dr. O. Phelps Brown,
№ 21 GRAND ST.
JERSEY CITY, N. J.

For sale by A. Roush, Altoona, Blair county.
March 15, 1860.

MOTHERS

In presenting you with DR. EATON'S INFANTILE CORDIAL, we desire to state its superiority over every nostrum that nurse or quack has heretofore offered you.

First. It is the preparation of a regular physician, who is well qualified from much experience in infantile complaints to prescribe for them. Secondly.—It is entirely free from paregoric or opiate of any kind, and consequently relieves by removing the suffering of your child, instead of deadening its sensibilities. Thirdly—It is put up with great care, as a comparison of it with any other article for infantile complaints will show; the very best roots from which it is distilled being dug from the forests un er the direction of Dr. Eaton, many of them by his own hands. Fourthly—It is perfectly harmless and cannot injure the most delicate infant, and is a certain cure and relief in all the following cases, which is its chief merit over every other preparation, viz:—

FOR ALL COMPLAINTS ATTEDING TEETHING; such as DYSENTERY, COLIC, &c, also, for softening the gums and relieving pain. For regulating the Bowels it is unequalled. For Cold in the Head it is a sure relief. For the CROUP, the most fatal and trying of all diseases, it can be relied on with perfect confidence; and being a powerful anti spasmodic in all cases of convulsions or fits, we earnestly recommend you to lose no time in procuring it. Lastly—It costs no much more than other preparations of the kind that we cannot afford such long advertisements as can those whose whole expense is their advertising; for the same reason, it commends itself as the most reliable to all mothers. In all cases, the directions wrapped around each bottle must be strictly followed. Price, 25 cents per bottle.

BLOOD FOOD

Dr. Bronson, having been so far reduced by consumption as to be considered beyond all hope of recovery by the most eminent of the medical profession, and also by himself—a regular physician of twenty years practice—as a last resort conceived the idea of ANALYZING THE BLOOD, and applying the subject of Physiology to the more immediate connection, and effect of the State of the Blood upon the health and system. The result has been the production of this "BLOOD FOOD," from the use of which, Dr. Bronson was restored to perfect health. Within six months after its introduction, over two thousand consumptives were effectually cured by it. If you have any complaints of a consumptive tendency, Cough, Cold, Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Loss of Appetite or pain in the side, lose no time in procuring a bottle of the "BLOOD FOOD." If you are suffering from Nervous Debility, or your Sleep is Broken and disturbed, if your Spirits are Depressed, or your Organs relaxed, you will find this an unfailing remedy, by commencing with ten drops. If your Liver is torpid or diseased in any manner whatever, one or two bottles will be sure to invigorate and bring it into lively and healthy action. In the most inveterate cases of Dyspepsia, the patient can here find the most efficient and grateful relief. A beneficial is always experienced after taking only one bottle. In Male or Female Complaints or Weakness, the sufferer, after trying other remedies in vain, may rest assured, that a certain cure will result from the use of two or three bottles. The "BLOOD FOOD" is effectual in all cases of Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Scrofulas and other like complaints. Pale and emaciated children and adults are immediately benefitted by its use. It gives strength to the body and color and beauty to the skin. Physicians of all schools are using it with wonderful success. For full directions, see circulars. Price $1 per bottle. Sold by

CHURCH & DUPONT,
No. 36 Maiden Lane, New York,
T. W. DYOTT & SONS, Philadelphia, and G. H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh, Wholesale Agents.

By A. Roush, Altoona; W. T. Murray, Hollidaysburg; and by all respectable druggists throughout the country
March 8, 1860.-1y.

PLANING MILL & SASH MANUFACTORY.—The subscriber would announce that he has removed his

Planing Mill and Sash Manufactory,

from Tipton to Altoona, where he will continue to fill orders and attend to all work entrusted to him, with despatch. The Mill is on the lot adjoining Allison's Steam Flouring Mill. THOS. McAULEY.
Altoona, Nov. 17, 1859.—tf

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, 1858.-tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—This institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School; and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid* or *ornamental*, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.) $4,00
Advanced (Including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.) $5,00

EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (Including use of instrument) $10,00
Drawing, $3,00
Painting (In water Colors) 3,00
Needle work, 2,00
Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
M. ——, *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "
March 10, 1859.-tf

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS

JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney, Manufacturer of all kinds of ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK, PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.
Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858.-tf.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store *on Virginia Street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c. &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.
Altoona, May 26, 1859.-tf

THE GREEN BOOK. JUTS PUBLISHED, 160 PAGES, PRICE 25 Cents; On Single and Married life; or, the Institution of Marriage; its Intent, Obligations, and Physical and Legal Disbuailifications; the *rational* treatment of all private diseases in both sexes, &c. To which is added a poetical essay, entitled "*Calliopaedise*;" or the art of having and rearing beautiful and healthy children, by the *late* ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, Esq., M. D.

Sent free of postage, by the Publishers, CHAS. KLINE & Co., Box 4586, New York, or *Dexter & Co.*, Wholesale agents 113 Nassau Street, New York. *Agents wanted everywhere.* Also, DR. GRATZ, an extract and sample of the above entitled: *Dr. Culverwell's Lecture* on the Ultimate Treatment of Spermatorrhœa and private diseases generally, detailing the means by which invalids may effectually cure themselves without the use of dangerous medicines, and at but little expense to themselves. Sent free by mail in a secure envelope, on the receipt of one stamp, to prepay postage, by addressing, CHAS. KLINE & Co.,
Feb. 22, 1859. Box 4586, New York City.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it: and I am not dependant upon any one to lift me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House."
Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.
Altoona, May 26-3m JACOB SNYDER.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Bœrhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Liniment,
in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take,

Photographs of deceased persons,

from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses.

AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH. Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.

By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians and merchants supplied on reasonable terms, and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

CONSTANTLY RECEIVING NEW Ready Made Clothing, of the latest Fashions, cheaper than ever, at H. TUCH'S.
Dec. 9, 1858.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF Undershirts and Drawers, Cotton, Woollen and Silk, very low, at H. TUCH'S.
Dec. 9 1858.

PINE AND LARD OILS, CAMphene, Burning Fluid, Carbon Oil, &c., at
Jan. 3, '56-tf] KESSLER'S.

ON HAND AT McCORMICK'S Store —A splendid assortment of Ready-Made clothing. Call and see. Nov. 25.-tf.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trus-
1-tf Braces for sale at KESSLER'S.

CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858

THE HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH paid for Beef Hides, by J. L. ICKES.

DR. HERSHEY'S
CELEBRATED
Worm Syrup.
TO THE PUBLIC.

AFTER A TRIAL of over TEN years in private practice, the subscriber is prepared to offer to the public a WORM SYRUP which has never failed to perform cures where others have been given in vain. It is beyond dispute the most pleasant and effectual preparation of the kind ever offered for sale.

It performs its cures safely, speedily, and effectually; injuring the nervous system in no wise—unlike in this respect, to the Pink Root and Turpentine preparations—nor does it contain mercury in any shape or form; but is a purely vegetable production, and so harmless in its action that the most delicate infant may take it.

It is one of the best and most gentle purgatives that can be administered to children, in case, even, where no Worms exist, and is all that may be required, in nine cases out of ten, to restore the deranged condition of the digestive organs, so frequently met during childhood; and save your children from severe spells of sickness, or convulsions.

Those Physicians who have used it are perfectly delighted with it, and use it in preference to any other preparation ever offered.

Manufactured and Sold Wholesale and Retail at N. W Corner Fourth and George St., Philadelphia, Pa.

D. D. HERSHEY, M. D
For Sale by A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa.